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COMMON NAMES

References to plants in the pages of the American Nurseryman are usually made by the botanical, or Latin name. This is to be sure that readers everywhere will be certain what plant is designated. Standard authorities are followed as to form and spelling such as "Standardized Plant Names," "Hortus II" and Rehder's Manual, in the order named. Sometimes, when the botanists have dug up a prior name to that by which a plant is known to most nurserymen, both names may be given to make certain of understanding.

Occasionally a plant is indicated by a common name alone, when there can be no mistake what is meant, but this is not often. Sometimes a Latin name is accompanied by a common name, for readers' information; this is more usual.

There is important reason for this policy in regard to plant names in a magazine that circulates so widely as this one does. Such a policy should govern also in the case of catalogs that are distributed throughout the country, or even a large part of it. If common names are primarily employed, they should be accompanied by the botanical names.

Most plants have more than one common name, in different parts of the country or even in one area. Some plants have a dozen or a score of common names. No wonder buyers are misled.

The compilers of "Standardized Plant Names," although commissioned to publish the standard botanical names, sought to determine also a specific or standard common name for some of the plants, but they had no international rules to guide them, as in the case of botanical names. So their choices of common names were often arbitrary, sometimes manufactured and seldom recognized in consequence.

Where the local customer is buying a plant he sees, the use of a common name is quite in order, especially to avoid Latin tongue-twisters, but the commercial nurseryman should know and otherwise use the botanical name, for safety's sake.

THE NEW LEAF

The beginning of the year presents a new leaf for putting into practice those good resolutions that are represented as symbolic of the occasion, sometimes seriously, more often humorously.

The period may also be the occasion for a review of one's business practices as well as one's personal relations.

Recent adoption of fair trade practice rules for the nursery industry through the cooperative efforts of the American Association of Nurserymen and the federal trade commission makes it possible for every nurseryman to know what are considered flagrant malpractices. He can also determine if any of his business methods fall close to what are described as unfair trade practices or perhaps violate the spirit, if not the technical provisions, of the rules.

This is especially important, from a selfish standpoint, now that the rising cost of securing new customers makes it urgent to hold old ones. And that is chiefly done by quality merchandise, satisfying service and fair dealings in every respect.

Especially in smaller enterprises, decisions are often made on the spur of the moment, and their subsequent effects on one's methods and practices are not considered. Hence the suggested review at this time may eliminate the effect of unwise decisions and hurried methods. The businessman who does not study ways of improvement will, in the course of time, drift along the path of deterioration.

MEETING REPORTS

In this and succeeding issues of the American Nurseryman, the reports of the winter trade association meetings fill the pages of the magazine. Special articles on propagation, plants, merchandising, research, culture and the like are crowded out of the pages of these issues. Yet all of these topics, and many more, are covered in these current issues, for summaries of talks and papers presented by nurserymen and research workers appear on these very subiects.

It is worth while, therefore, for

you to read not only the reports of the meetings in your own section, but also those from other areas for ideas and pointers which will prove valuable in operating your business. Careful scrutiny of each page of your trade magazine will provide much valuable information.

WHOLESALERS' CREDIT

While the time is far gone when semiannual settlement dates were recognized in the nursery field, there are still some retailers who have little regard for the 30-day or 60-day dates, or other terms on wholesalers invoices. If they have plenty of money in the bank and the season is going well, they will respond to the importunities of collection efforts, but if the stock is not moving well they seem to regard it as still in some measure the property of the wholesaler and payment therefore not their immediate and undivided liability.

Such retailers are not only impairing their credit standing, but also their business future. When most items of stock were in surplus and orders not so numerous buyers might stretch their privileges, but now when sales are good and some items of stock sought for, purchasers cannot expect to abuse their privileges without feeling the consequences.

Now is a most propitious time for every retailer to bring his affairs into order and develop regular habits with regard to paying accounts in accordance with terms specified.

In a much less favorable decade. some years ago, wholesale florists found themselves carrying accounts for retail florists who had, through careless habits, accumulated debts to various competing wholesalers far beyond their net worth or early ability to repay. The result was the formation of credit bureaus by wholesalers in various parts of the country, interchanging credit data on retailers. The delinquents were put on a C. O. D. basis until their accounts were paid up, and stiff credit terms prevailed thereafter, and still are in effect today.

There is no need for such drastic steps in the nursery field, because of present prosperity. But the paywhen-sold retailer should change his habits when it is easy, and wholesalers should insist on all customers' observing credit terms, so that a less opportune day of reckoning may not occur.

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Eastern Convention Held at New York City



Willard M. Bond, at left, newly elected chairman of the eastern nurserymen's convention, accepts gavel from Albert Flemer, retiring chairman.

Close to 350 persons registered for the 1957 eastern nurserymen's convention held January 7 to 9 in the Hotel Roosevelt, New York, N. Y., thus approximating the record attendance of last year's convention. Well attended were the country fair forum, including five round-table discussions, and the landscape panel on "Where Is the Nursery Business Heading?" The information brought out in these discussions is reported elsewhere in this issue.

Also stimulating much interest was the plant forum on ground-cover plants, the presentation on training salesmen and reports of activities of the American Association of Nurserymen. Industrial and institutional landscaping awards were presented, with Lewis & Valentine Nurseries, Inc., Greenvale, L. I., N. Y., being

honored for its planting of the Long Island Lighting Co. at Hicksville, L. I., N. Y. At a brief business meeting of A. A. N. region I on Wednesday morning a motion was passed to request the regional director to vote to hold the number of delegates to the A. A. N. national convention as near as possible to the maximum number of 90.

Election

Moving up from vice-chairman of the eastern nurserymen's convention to chairman was Willard M. Bond, Wyman's Garden Centers, Framingham, Mass. Newly elected as vicechairman was Howard Taylor, Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., Hawthorne, N. Y., while Marie Enberg, also associated with Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., continues as secretary-treasurer. While Mr. Bond attended the opening session of the convention, he was absent the last day, because of the death of his father.

The convention was called to order Monday afternoon, January 7, by Albert Flemer, F & F Nurseries, Holmdel, N. J., chairman of the eastern nurserymen's convention. In turn, he presented Louis Weinstock, Poundridge Nurseries, Poundridge, N. Y., president of the New York State Nurserymen's Association, who reviewed the association's activities during the past year. In recognition of his past services as director, bureau of plant industry in New York, Harold B. Little was called upon to say a few words. Mr. Little retired from his state job last October.

In his brief talk to the nurserymen, Edwin Kirk, the new director of the bureau of plant industry in New York, said the nursery industry is facing many problems in production, marketing and financing. He thought that 1957 would repeat conditions of the past year. With over 1,500 nurserymen grossing over \$51,000 000 in sales during 1955 in New York state, he thought the nursery industry should rank second agriculturally in the state. Currently the geographical location of fieldmen in the bureau is being studied in order to give better service, he said, and regulations will be modernized whenever possible. There is a great diversification of agricultural industry in the state, he pointed out, and also a diversification in plant pests. Gypsy moth is steadily increasing in the state, he pointed out. Also, he said, the activities of native plant collectors is on the increase.

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Richard M. Wyman, Jr., left, presenting the "Plant America" award to Hewlett W. Lewis, president, Lewis & Valentine Nurseries, Inc.

Country Fair Forum Staged in East

The Tuesday afternoon country fair forum in the Grand ballroom of the Hotel Roosevelt attracted a crowd of 225 nurserymen and was one of the high lights of the eastern nurserymen's convention at New York city. Frank S. LaBar, LaBars' Rhododendron Nursery, Stroudsburg, Pa., served as moderator and introduced the five discussion group leaders, who held simultaneous round-table discussions in the corners and center of the ballroom. Philip White, White Nurseries, Ithaca, N. Y., had the topic, "Do Your Prices Yield a Profit?" "The Use of Herbi-cides in the Nursery" was the sub-ject covered by A. M. S. Pridham. Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. Leslie MacRobbie, Oak Park Nurseries, East Patchogue, N. Y., discussed "How to Collect Retail Accounts." Howard C. Taylor, Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., Hawthorne, N. Y., covered "Effective Advertising Methods and Budget." Peter Costich, Hicks Nurseries, Westbury, N. Y., led a discussion of miscellaneous topics.

Pricing for Profit

Mr. White opened the discussion of prices with three relevant statements: "Pricing alone can make or break a business." "Pricing is one of the most important things in industry today." "Prices which many business firms establish today may be 6 to 7 per cent out of line one year from now."

The problems involved in establishing a fair and profitable markup for nursery items was the first topic discussed by the group. The usual 2-to-1 markup which has prevailed

in the past is outmoded today, the group admitted, because of the rising costs of operation, added to which is the fact that the average nurseryman conducts a business whose volume is concentrated into a six months' period. It was brought out that the nurseryman when figuring his markup should include his experience and stock shrinkage. The consensus was that a markup of $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 could be used with satisfaction. One member of the group said his accountant suggested a markup of $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 when retailing plants.

Cash-and-carry was a category which had as many variations as to operation as there were members in attendance. Many nurserymen present admitted that they were trying to get their charge customers out of their hair. Moderator White outlined a plan he recently put into operation at his establishment, which necessitated pruning his original charge list of 1,500 names to 200. The 200 selected received letters which notified them that their charge accounts were being continued, but a large sign was posted in the shop "Business on Cash Basis." File cards of the 200 credit accounts are kept at the cash register for reference by check-out clerks.

The majority of those present however, reported that charge ac-[Continued on page 94]

Eastern Landscape Nurserymen Discuss Future of Industry

The National Landscape Nurserymen's Association conducted most of the Wednesday morning and afternoon program of the eastern nurserymen's convention. A panel discussion on "Where Is the Nursery Business Heading?", a talk on the problems of the landscape contractor and the landscape architect on large-scale projects and an explanation of a new laborsaving method for taking inventory of stock were the featured events.

With Allan Dalsimer, Dalsimer, Inc., Cedarhurst, N. Y., president of the N. L. N. A., acting as moderator, a panel composed of Hewlett Lewis, Lewis & Valentine Nurseries, Inc., Greenvale, L. I., N. Y.; B. B. Stangler, Land O'Trees, Williamsville, N. Y.; John M. Eisler, Eisler Nurseries, Butler, Pa., and Dr. Joseph B. Howland, O. M. Scott & Sons Co., Marysville, O., discussed the subject of where the nursery business is heading.

Mr. Lewis believed that landscape nurserymen should have a garden center that is part of the business, for it will bring people to the nursery who want landscape jobs performed. The landscape nurseryman will have to enter more related fields, such as masonry, carpentry and grading, in the future. He will have to keep up with the latest equipment.

The nurseryman has service to give [Continued on page 49]

Discussion leaders and moderator of the country fair forum at the eastern nurserymen's convention, New York, N. Y., held January 7 to 9. Left to right, Peter Costich; Howard Taylor, newly elected vice-chairman of the convention; Philip White: Frank S. LaBar; Leslie MacRobbie, and Dr. A. M. S. Pridham.

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Cold and Snow Greet Illinois Gathering

By Joan Kilner Mills

Sub-zero weather and plenty of snow greeted the several hundred nurserymen who came to Chicago from all over the country and Canada, too, to attend the 41st annual convention of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association, January 14 to 16, at the Hotel La Salle. By noon January 15, official registrations had passed 400 persons.

This year the association initiated a new setup whereby only members active, associate and allied-might register for the convention and only those wearing membership badges were permitted to attend meetings and luncheons. The secretary, Miles W. Bryant, Bryant Nurseries, Princeton, reported that 32 more associate members, these being outof-state nursery firms, were added to the roster the first day of the convention. An increase in dues went into effect in December and returns into billings have been better than ever, Treasurer Victor A. de St. Aubin, Eugene E. de St. Aubin & Bro., Inc., Addison, said.

At a business session January 15, officers for 1957 were elected as follows: President, Elmer Spencer, Springfield; vice-president, Edward P. Eickhof, Eickhof Nursery, Bensenville; treasurer, Victor E. de St. Aubin, Sr., Addison, and secretary, Harvey Kemmerer, Urbana. Miles W. Bryant, for many years secretary of the association, will continue as an advisory secretary for a while. The new secretary is a landscape specialist at the University of Illinois.

John Tures, Tures Bros., Des Plaines, and Henry Lohse, Henry Lohse Nursery, Dixon, were relected to the board of directors to serve through 1958-59. Ralph Synnestvedt, Ralph Synnestvedt & Associates, Glenview, was newly elected a director for 1957-58. William Mc-Reynolds, Mount Prospect; Edward P. Eickhof; John Fiore, John Fiore & Son Nurseries, Prairie View, and Elmer Spencer continue on the board for 1957.

Business Session

The business meeting of the association was conducted Tuesday morning, January 15, by President Tures. After the reading of the minutes of last year's business session by Miles Bryant, secretary, and the report of the treasurer, by Victor A. de St. Aubin, committee chairmen gave reports.

For the "Plant Illinois" program, Roy Clavey, F. D. Clavey Ravinia Nurseries, Inc., Deerfield, told of the excellent cooperation of the department of horticulture, University of Illinois, in disseminating information through radio broadcasts, by publication of literature on landscaping schools and other buildings and especially through the extension service to smaller communities and rural areas.

The state department of agriculture printed 25,000 "Plant Illinois" booklets free of charge. The association had a "Plant Illinois" exhibit at the state fair. Publicity was sent to over 700 newspapers in the state. The Illinois State Nurserymen's Association spent \$6,370.75 on the

"Plant Illinois" program, \$1,000 of which was donated by the Ornamental Plant Growers' Association of Northern Illinois. As cochairman of the "Plant Illinois" committee, Victor A. de St. Aubin told of the large contribution by the Illinois association for the fragrant garden for the blind, at Chicago, in cooperation with the Chicago Horticultural Society. Formal opening is scheduled for the last week in May.

Henry Lohse reported that all available space for exhibits at the convention had been sold, there being 28 exhibits by nurseries, manufacturers and suppliers, and that more booths could have been sold had the hotel been able to provide the rooms. Roger Leesley, Leesley's Nurseries, Inc., Libertyville, reported an increase in both number of advertisers and pages in the year-book.

The legislative committee is working on a bill to amend the present state insect pest and plant disease law, said Edward P. Eickhof.

Jap Beetle Control

A question from the floor resulted in a lengthy discussion of the Japanese beetle control program in Illinois. H. F. Seifert, Illinois horticultural inspection supervisor, came to the rostrum to describe the situation. Four areas in the state have major infestations and are being treated. About 8,000 acres in the Chicago area have been treated and are well under control. The beetle has nearly been eliminated from a 375-acre infestation in the Decatur area.

Two large and serious infestations remain—in the East St. Louis area, with 2,000 acres, and in the Sheldon area, with 7,000 acres; in an additional 25,000 surrounding acres the beetle is present but not yet serious. The state has been treating the infested areas with DDT, two pounds to the acre, at a cost of about \$5 per acre. But last year some livestock was killed or made ill from the DDT, so in the future some other chemical may be used instead.

Mr. Seifert said that at least \$110,000 would be needed to cover the cost of completely treating the Sheldon and East St. Louis areas, but about all that can be expected are funds sufficient to treat the small, most serious parts of these in-

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ILLINOIS PRESIDENT



Elmer Spencer, newly elected president of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association, is a retail nurseryman and landscape contractor of Springfield, Ill.

He was born at Virden, Ill., in 1902 and was educated in the public schools there. Mr. Spencer was graduated from Illinois College in 1925 and did postgraduate work at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. After teaching the subject of botany for a few years he started in the nursery and landscape business.

Mr. Spencer's wife is interested in the business, helping in the office during rush seasons. They have two children, a daughter and a son, both graduate landscape architects from the University of Illinois, Urbana. Currently the son is doing postgraduate work in landscape architecture, having won a scholarship at Howard University, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Spencer has served six years on the board of directors of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association. At Springfield he belongs to Rotary, the Shriners and the Sales Executive Club.

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Landscape Group Discusses Expansion

A spirit of enthusiasm and progress was evident at the annual midwinter conference of the National Landscape Nurservmen's Association held January 13 at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill. Registration was up almost 50 per cent from the preceding year, with 125 persons attending the afternoon and evening sessions. Talks on the future of home construction, landscape design and architecture, plus a talk on a Florida landscape nursery, were featured, with colored slides of landscape jobs completed by association members and a brief business session rounding out the program.

Allan Dalsimer, Dalsimer, Inc., Cedarhurst, N. Y., president of the N. L. N. A., reported that the association was surprised by the number of applicants it had for the full-time executive secretary's position. From the 12 applicants interviewed, it is hoped one can be chosen shortly. Lloyd Platt, Platt's Landscape Nursery, Davenport, Ia., current executive secretary of the N. L. N. A., reported an increase of 50 members in the past six months, bringing the total membership to 250. He called upon Russell Zakariasen, Homedale Nursery, Hopkins, Minn., vice-president of the N. L. N. A., who advised those present that under the current dues schedule, 600 members will be needed to support a full-time secretary and his budget.

Architect's Views

The afternoon session was opened by Jack Siebenthaler, the Siebenthaler Co., Dayton, O., program chairman for the conference. He introduced the first speaker, L. Morgan Yost, Chicago architect, whose topic was "Relationship of Landscape Design to Architecture." Mr. Yost, who had appeared on the program of the N. L. N. A. 10 years ago, said that the same problems continue to face the industry and it is still falling down in the same places. The architect and the landscape nurseryman think of how a home is viewed from the street. Rather, they should consider creating an atmosphere and not be solely concerned with how the planting

Mr. Yost said that the garden can be lived in vicariously all during the year. The nurseryman needs to sell the psychological factor of the restfulness of the garden. The garden, he related, has moved from the front of the home to the rear. Wider lots now provide more living area.

Favors North Side Gardens

More garages will be integrated with the house, he said, and houses are being built closer to the street. Mr. Yost stated that he likes gardens on the north side of a house, as the windows from which the garden is viewed do not have sunlight on them; the light comes from behind the viewer, as on a theater stage, and gives the flowers in the garden more color.

Mr. Yost advised against screen plantings at the rear of the lot; rather, he suggested intermediate plantings, which would give the garden more depth and mystery. Even concrete pavement can be made more attractive by using color, he said. Use gray, not green or red.

He deplored the use of pyramidal evergreens in foundation plantings, saying they should not be used within 20 feet of the house. If they are used, he believed they should be used in groups. To provide interesting terrain, he suggested using mounds of earth, planted with ground cover. Rocks can be used for the same effect. Ground cover, he thought, has a long way to go before being accepted in the middle west. Screen enclosures and fences can be used more to enhance plantings. Concluding his talk, he said many things done in California can be done in the midwest and east. It is a matter of education and public relations. If people know they can have something, they will want it.

Home Building

Talking on "The Future of Home Construction—Its Effect on Landscaping," Joseph E. Merrion, a past president of the National Association of Home Builders, said that home builders were glad to see 1956 come to an end. Builders are faced with problems, but they will be straightened out somewhat in the [Continued on page 72]

Mail-Order Nurserymen Plan Added Promotion at Chicago

Added efforts were put forth to promote the mail-order nursery business at the winter meeting of the National Mail Order Nurserymen's Association, held January 14 at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill. In his report as chairman of the research committee, George Rose, Henry Field Seed & Nursery Co., Shenandoah, Ia., presented a layout with copy of a 4-page illustrated brochure listing nine reasons why people should purchase nursery stock through the mails and from members of the N. M. O. N. A. The circular, he explained, could be used by members as an insert in a catalog or as a stuffer in other promotional mailings.

A motion was passed that the association pay for the cost of preparing the brochure. Individual members would pay the printing cost for the number they wished to purchase. In order to avail themselves of the discount on a quantity purchase, those present committed themselves for a total of 100,000 copies.

Completing his report, Mr. Rose stated that Dr. John Mahlstede, Iowa State College, Ames, will undertake a study this year on the shipping of hardy perennials by mail. Orders received from N. M. O. N. A. members will be planted at the college and be handled similarly to the test shopping done last year with deciduous material. Results of the new study will be reported at the summer meeting, August 13 and 14.

Seal Promotion

Ralph Shugert, Forrest Keeling Nursery, Elsberry, Mo., reporting for the publicity committee, stated that releases had been sent last fall to all garden magazines to promote the seal of the N. M. O. N. A. and what it stands for. He produced tear sheets from several magazines showing the publicity received. Mr. Shugert encouraged the members to make more use of the seal in their advertising. Clark Kidd, Arp Nursery Co., Tyler, Tex., chairman of the publicity committee, related that the seal has been in existence for several years but is just now being publicized; so members should take advantage of this by employing the seal.

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Varied Talks at Western Convention

Plant Uses, Propagation, Container Stock and Merchandising Discussed

By Ralph B. Ricklefs, Jr.

Highlighting the 67th annual convention of the Western Association of Nurserymen at the Hotel Muehlebach, Kansas City, Mo., was the election of officers for 1957, which resulted in the following roster: President, C. C. Smith, Sherman Nursery Co., Charles City, Ia.; vice-president, Howard Edmiston, Marshall's Nurseries, Arlington, Neb., and secretary-treasurer, James Danbury, the Garden Shop, Overland Park, Kan.

The convention, held January 8 and 9, with President Hugh Steavenson, Forrest Keeling Nursery, Elsberry, Mo., presiding, offered an excellent program to the 152 registered members.

Dr. Ray A. Keen, of the department of horticulture of Kansas State College, Manhattan, advised the convention on "Some Plants Your Nursery Should Handle." Dr. Keen stressed the principles to use in selecting new and different plant material. Emphasis was placed on the availability of a greater selection and variety of plants from retail and wholesale nurseries, depending on their particular regional differences. Variety in landscape planting is more important in view of recent real-estate developments where the architecture of all units is nearly the same and the only individuality these homes may obtain is through the variance in landscape planting.

Dr. Keen pointed out that new and different plants are the backbone of the mail-order nursery business today. However, a warning was issued against false and misleading advertising, especially the practice of renaming old and standard varieties. Because of the saturation of the market, however, new, different and exotic plants should not be carried in stock for too long a time.

New Uses for Old Plants

By advising buyers of new and different uses for standard plant materials, the nurseryman, for all practical purposes, may add a new variety to his stock. The use of the pecan as a shade tree or the use of the Japanese tree lilac as an ornamental tree were given as examples.

Dr. Keen cited the use or the reintroduction of some old subvarieties of common species as new and different plant material. To illustrate this point, the 12 clones of the common Scotch pine, the 15 clones of Norway maple and many other subspecies and varieties of common species were cited.

Dr. Keen illustrated his talk with colored slides of new and different varieties of plants, along with little-known subspecies of commoner stock. Such materials, he advised, are similar to the less common colors of an artist's palette. They are not to be substituted for the standard materials, but provide just the right finishing touch to the entire land-scape picture.

Phytotektor System

Harvey Templeton, Jr., Winchester, Tenn., explained to the convention "Propagation by the Phytotektor System Using Intermittent Mist.' Although not a nurseryman by training, Mr. Templeton developed a childhood interest in electronics and plant propagation and now has combined these interests into a profitable business. He is, to the best of his knowledge, the originator of the electronic leaf, a device that effectively controls the amount of mist applied during the propagation of plant materials by cuttings. The name of Mr. Templeton's firm is Phytotektor and literally means plant maker.

An explanation was given of the basic theories and principles underlying the Phytotektor system. The main principle is to keep the leaves



C. C. Smith

of the cuttings wet at all times so that the tissues do not dry out. The drying of plant tissue is caused by heat; to a large extent, by the heat that light generates. A cool, shaded propagating bed would seem to be the answer to this difficulty, but actually it is far from satisfactory. since light and heat are both required for other plant functions in the rooting process. When mist is introduced into the air surrounding the cuttings, however, the drying properties of heat are greatly reduced, so that cuttings can be kept under stronger light and at higher temperatures than is normally possible without drying. These circumstances allow the propagator greater latitude in which to work. Although the idea is not definitely established, it is thought that some of the water vapor in the air actually moves back into the tissues of the leaf under favorable

Although a leaf can replace moisture from the film of water on its surface, frequently an excess of moisture will leach the nutrients from the leaf, leaving it in a starved condition following its rooting. This condition can cause excessive losses; consequently, nutrients must be replaced when potting the rooted cuttings.

Care after Rooting

Emphasis was placed on the care of the cuttings after their rooting under mist. Some species are not tolerant or less tolerant of mist conditions after their rooting, and some require more or less mist to be removed gradually from them. For this reason, Mr. Templeton advised, the grouping of large areas of the same species when propagating under mist gives greater ease of management.

With the use of colored slides, Mr. Templeton illustrated the specific manner in which he roots cuttings with the electronic leaf. In order to solve the hardening-off problem, the rooting of the cuttings is carried on directly in a soil medium. In this way, the cuttings do not have to be transplanted after rooting, but are left in the original bed. The soil rooting medium is held in place with railroad ties and covered with polyethylene film supported by steel reinforcing mesh.

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George Rose, who discussed nursery merchandising at Western meeting.

of fine sand is placed over the soil. Sand is used only to eliminate the problem of mud that would occur with mist used over a soil medium. As the cuttings are inserted into the medium, the mist is applied, and the polyethylene cover is rolled on. Details of the differences in propagation of various species under mist were presented.

Mr. Templeton concluded his talk by listing the following advantages of propagation with the Phytotektor mist system: It allows greater flexibility with propagation in a given medium; propagation can be carried on in more light and higher temperatures; softer cuttings may be used, allowing the rooting of rarer varieties, and the actual cost of mist propagation is less when conducted on a large scale.

Container Technique

Dr. V. T. Stoutemyer, of the department of floriculture and ornamental horticulture at the University of California at Los Angeles, presented an illustrated lecture on "Container-Grown Plants, a New Opportunity for Nurserymen." Dr. Stoutemyer has had extensive experience both on the west coast and in the midwest and was able to give a comprehensive treatment of the advantages and disadvantages of container-grown nursery stock as applied to the midwest nurseryman.

It was noted that the idea of container-grown nursery stock was originated in China and brought to the United States by Chinese immigrants. The earliest use of the asphalt-dipped can in this country is thought to be about 1904.

Dr. Stoutemyer mentioned, as some of the many advantages of container-grown stock, the all-seasonal sales aspect; the ability to sell an attractive, growing plant rather than an unsightly dormant one; easier sanitation and sterilization, lessening the spread of insects and diseases, and the low percentage of loss both for the nurseryman and his customer. One of the major disadvantages of container-grown stock is a pot-bound condition, which starts at an early stage in the containers and can cause a faulty anchorage by the roots of the plant in the soil, increasing the danger of loss by wind.

Varied Containers

Although the different types of containers change rapidly with new short-cut methods, the No. 10, or 1-gallon, can is used in about 80 per cent of all canning operations, according to the speaker. The ordinary gallon can is being replaced by a commercially made fluted can that may be reused and stacked conveniently and allows the customer to knock the pot ball out rather than cut it out. The 3-gallon egg can has nearly replaced the 5-gallon square can, and other containers are now especially constructed for the larger canning purposes.

Dr. Stoutemyer noted that the fundamental principles of growing container stock remain the same everywhere. It is important that the soil mixture, whichever is used, be porous or well-drained. It is not too important, with the new techniques of automatic watering and liquid fertilization, that the soil mixture be fertile and retentive of moisture. The balling quality of the soil is not important since the root structure of the plant is developed to a greater extent.

Potting Media

The half-and-half peat and sand mixture is becoming the most popular potting medium; however, much experimentation has been conducted using rice hulls, redwood bark and shavings and other inert organic materials. The fertilizer balance in organic media must be observed closely, because of the absorption of nitrogen during the breakdown of these organic materials. Even with the great strides made in liquid fertilizer, hand feeding of canned nursery stock still remains the most popular method. Hand feeding, however, is not practical in a large-scale operation.

Improper application of water and faulty drainage can cause severe trouble. Concentrations of toxic salts from the water itself can result unless the proper amount of water is allowed to drain through the container. Most container nurseries still water by hand to avoid the problem [Continued on page 114]

KANSAS NURSERYMEN MEET

The Kansas Association of Nuserymen held a meeting the evening of January 7 at the Hotel Muehlebach, Kansas City, Mo., in conjunction with the Western Association of Nurserymen's convention held at the hotel January 8 and 9. The convention is reported elsewhere in the issue.

John Pinney, Willis Nursery Co. Ottawa, led a discussion on highwal landscaping in Kansas. It was the opinion of the members that more state funds were being utilized for the purchase of seeds, fertilizer and miscellaneous supplies than for nursery stock. Several projects and line of remedy for this situation were discussed.

Harold Gallaher, extension for ester from Kansas State College Manhattan, explained the college project for planting windbreaks and shelterbelts in cooperation with the new soil bank program and the Clark-McNary act. Mr. Gallaher announced that preparations are being made for an early start in the spring

L. A. Calkins, Kansas state entomological inspector, and L. C. Gatewood, of the Leavenworth Nurseries. Leavenworth, led a discussion of changes needed in the Kansas nursery inspection law.

Harold Crawford, of the Wills Nursery Co., discussed an educational program to encourage Kansahigh school seniors to enroll in landscape design or horticulture in college; however, no definite project was worked out at this time.



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Optimism Voiced at Oklahoma Convention

By Betty H. Prim

A spirit of optimism prevailed at the annual convention of the Oklahoma State Nurserymen's Association held at the Biltmore hotel, Oklahoma City, January 10 and 11. Despite serious drought conditions in many sections of the southwest during 1956, speakers were encouraging about the days ahead, while cautioning that enhanced prospects for the coming year would be due, in part, to good general business conditions. Nurserymen were therefore urged to make effective over-all plans to get their share of trade.

This was a banner occasion for Sooner nurserymen. Attendance topped that of any year in the history of the association. Nurserymen came from distant parts of the state and guests from neighboring states braved the disagreeable weather and road hazards to attend.

The entire slate of names suggested by the nominating committee, headed by J. E. Conard, Stigler, was unanimously elected at the final business meeting to serve the organization in 1957. President is Harold R. Nickel, Muskogee; vice-president, Jack Foote, Foote Nursery, Durant; secretary-treasurer, Cyrus E. Adams, Oklahoma City, and sergeant at arms, Mario Sanseverino, Tulsa.

Host city next year will be Tulsa.

Opening Session

President Gene Fleming, Oklahoma City, opened the first session promptly at 10:30 a. m. The secretary's report was given by Cyrus E. Adams. Nurserymen were welcomed to Oklahoma City by Mayor Allen Street.

The first feature of the morning session was a talk by Herman Schmidt, greenhouse superintendent of the Sneed Nursery Co., on "Propa-



Officials of the Oklahoma State Nurserymen's Association, left to right, Harold R. Nickel, Muskogee, president: Jack Foote, Durant, vice-president, and Gene Fleming, Oklahoma City, retiring president.

gation of Plants." Mr. Schmidt was formerly with the D. Hill Nursery Co., Dundee, Ill. His talk, covering all phases of propagating plants, from seedbed preparation through harvesting seeds, was well received.

After Mr. Schmidt's talk a color film, "Plantainers," was shown demonstrating how these processed nested containers for nursery stock save time and space and make for easy delivery.

Nurserymen and their guests met in the Mirror room for luncheon Thursday. Ladies attended the luncheon, also, but later they enjoyed a matinee and went shopping. Featured speaker at the luncheon was W. P. Atkinson, whose talk, "It Pays to Boost Oklahoma City," tied in with the semicentennial celebration of Oklahoma now getting under way in the Sooner state.

Mr. Atkinson, founder of Midwest City, a model community, said that the value of property is greatly enhanced if buildings are properly placed on the lot, if they are kept well painted and if the grounds are landscaped by an expert.

Container Culture

Another beneficial talk for growers was that of Hugh Steavenson, Forrest Keeling Nursery, Elsberry, Mo., who discussed "Container-Grown Nursery Stock." Mr. Steavenson told of experimental work that had been done in container production and confined his later remarks to production of this type of plants in Oklahoma, where temperatures are variable. Among his suggestions were the following:

Be sure to have adequate drainage in cans. Both peat and clay have high water-holding capacities. Air and moisture should permeate the

soil. Often it is found that roots of a plant are massed near the container sides and are not extended through the soil as they should be. The Chinese use rice hulls with their clay soil to offset this condition. Sphagnum can be used also, he said. He reminded growers that weed seeds must be eliminated from potting soil. There should be balanced nutrients in adequate supply in the potting mix. Mr. Steavenson stated that sooner or later canned stock will drastically affect the activities of everyone concerned with growing and handling nursery stock.

A. A. N. Report

J. E. Lauden, Tyler, Tex., director of region V of the American Association of Nurserymen, reviewed some of the work being done by the association for the industry. With reference to the industry's fair trade practice rules, he said these rules are in the nature of advisory opinions and furnish the members with a convenient and authoritative guide to sound business practices, especially relating to the advertising and sale of nursery products. He said that the federal trade commission encourages voluntary compliance with the rules and expressed his belief that such compliance will maintain the industry on its present high level of integ-

Mr. Lauden reminded members that the services of a special counsel in the Washington office are available. He pointed out that because of the relationship established between counsel and a member client, correspondence between the two comes under the head of privileged communications, which remain confidential. More complete details of the

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Collapsible Greenhouse Tables

By E. D. Krouch

Chevenne Horticultural Field Station, Chevenne, Wyo.

Ground beds are not desirable for flats of plants that are to remain in place for a considerable period. Marked variability in size and condition of plants may develop because the roots of some plants pass through cracks in the bottoms of the flats into the soil below. Moving the flats will break such roots and thus disturb those plants, but not those with roots confined to the flat. Arranging the flats slightly above the soil on wooden strips will reduce this trouble but not the inconvenience of performing hand work at floor level and the difficulty of precise leveling to insure equal watering.

The author has designed and built strong, portable tables of convenient height to avoid the difficulties just described. The legs can be folded beneath the tops to save storage space and to simplify moving. Since these tables have proved useful in a number of greenhouse installations, their design and construction are described and illustrated here.

Size and Placement of Tables

The table top is made of pairs of 2x4 rails with edges up and spaced to accommodate flats lengthwise, with two inches of overhang at each end. Length of these paired rails should be multiples of the width of flat to be used. No more than three pairs of rails are joined into one table. If work must be done from one side

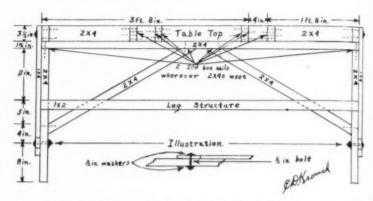


Figure 2-End view of standing 6x12-foot table showing three sets of rails, that carry 27 plant rooting flats, and one method of bracing the legs.

of the table only, no more than two pairs are joined. Tables more than 12 feet long are unwieldy to erect and to store.

Sizes and numbers of tables should be calculated carefully to fit most efficiently into the space available. To suit one of our greenhouses, tables were made as follows: Eight 4x12 feet (18 flats each), nine tables 6x12 feet (27 flats each), two tables 6x10 feet 8 inches (24 flats each) and one table 6x6 feet 8 inches (15 flats). One's own judgment must be used as to space required between the tables and around the ends.

Effective spacing of rails for tables to accommodate flats 16x24 inches and method of supporting the rails at

those spacings are shown in the accompanying drawings (figures 1 and 2). For tables holding two rows of flats, use two pairs of 2x4 rails with an over-all width of 3 feet 8 inches as designated at top of figure 2. The rails are nailed to the 2x4 cross members with 20d box nails (see illustration A, figure 1). The 1x4 bracing is mortised flush with the tops of the rails (see illustration B, figure 1). Where diagonal braces cross, each is mortised to half its thickness to form a flat cross-lap joint (see illustration C, figure 1).

Figure 1 is a plan of a table for 27 flats and shows bracing used. Two 20d box nails are driven through the 2x4 rails and into the ends of the

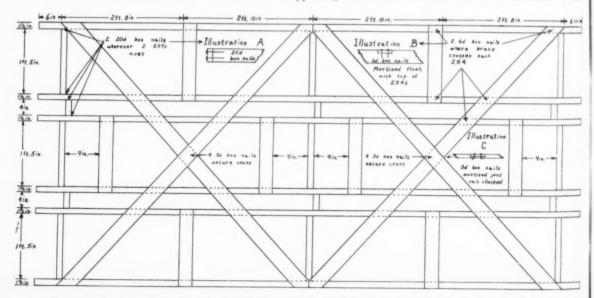


Figure 1-Top View of 6x12-Foot Collapsible Greenhouse Table Designed to Hold 27 Flats for Rooting Plants

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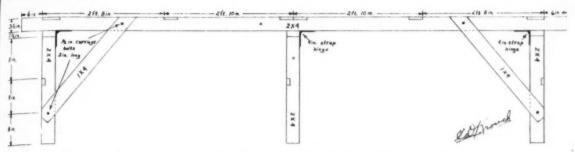


Figure 3-Side View of Collapsible Table, 6x12-Foot Size, Showing Method of Attaching Legs to Top with Strap Hinges

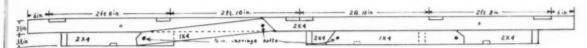


Figure 4—Side View of Collapsible Table, Showing How Legs Fold Upward below Top for Convenience in Storage and Handling

cross members at each junction. Two 6d box nails are driven through the 1x4 top bracing at each intersection where it is mortised into the rails. Care should be taken throughout to keep work flat and square.

The leg structures are constructed in three pairs, separate from the top and connected to the top with 4-inch strap hinges so that they fold flat under the top for convenience in storage and handling (figures 3 and 4). The leg structure consists of one piece of 2x4 cut 5 feet 8 inches long nailed to the ends of two pieces of 2x4, 2 feet 4 inches long. Two 20d box nails are driven through each end of the pieces 5 feet 8 inches into one end of each piece 2 feet 4 inches, respectively. The two angle braces are then toenailed into place, and the 1x2 tie brace is mortised into the legs and 2x4 angle braces (figure 2).

An alternate method of structure for these leg sections (figure 5) has been conceived and probably has a number of advantages over the one used in the original plan, but it has not been tested.

The leg sections are fastened to the table top and braced for sturdiness as shown in figure 3. Figure 4 shows the method of holding the table in a folded position when it is not in use. The illustration in figure 2 shows the method of attaching the pieces 1x4x3 feet 2 inches used for bracing the table for sturdiness and holding the legs in a folded position for storage or moving.

If the tables are set up on soil, flat pieces of wood about eight or 10 inches square should be placed under each leg to prevent its settling into the soil and throwing the tables out of level.

For one table holding 27 flats, the following materials were used: 6 pieces 2x4 inches, 12 feet long; 3 pieces 2x4, 5 feet 2 inches; 6 pieces

2x4, 3 feet; 6 pieces 2x4, 2 feet 4 inches; *9 pieces 2x4, 1 foot 5 inches; 6 pieces 2x4, 4 inches; 4 pieces 1x4, 8 feet; 4 pieces 1x4, 3 feet 2 inches; 8 pieces 1x4, 1 foot 8 inches; 3 pieces 1x2, 5 feet 8 inches; 96 each 20d box nails, 104 each 6d box nails, 8 each 3d box nails, 6 each 4-inch strap hinges, 8 each ½-inch carriage bolts 3 inches long and 16 each ½-inch metal washers.

*Planed lumber does not measure up to full designated dimensions. Therefore, these spacers are one inch longer than needed if full-dimension materials are used.

GIBBERELLIC ACID

Nurserymen may have read recently of the experiments being carried out with gibberellic acid, a plant growth accelerator which doubled or tripled the height of plants to which it was applied, and wondered just what the material is. The acid is produced by the fungus gibberella and for experiments has been obtained by methods similar to those used for producing antibiotics.

The gibberella fungus causes a rice disease in Japan and early work in the search for a cure resulted in the discovery that plants grown in sterilized media in which gibberella had been cultured showed typical elongation.

Chemicals responsible for the unusual growth were subsequently isolated, and one form has been used in research to increase the height in three to four weeks of geraniums, sunflowers, roses, salvias, petunias, asters and poinsettias in greenhouses. As little as one millionth of an ounce of the acid in one ounce of water will make plants grow taller, and the material has been applied both by lanolin paste mixture and as a foliar spray.

In spite of the minute quantities required, gibberellic acid is so scarce (large-scale production methods have not yet been developed) that nurserymen and private individuals are not likely to get their hands on it for a long time to come. Research scientists require all they can find and even now experiments are hampered by its scarcity.

KLUIS' NURSERIES, Pompton Plains, N. J., announce the building of a new greenhouse to be used for propagation work.

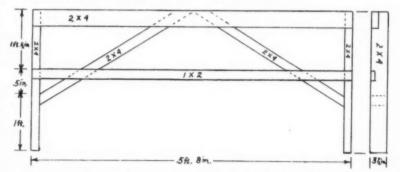


Figure 5—An alternate method of structure for the leg sections, having advantages over the design shown in figure 2, but untested as yet.

Weed Control Topic at North Carolina Course

By Edward R. Mattson

At the 20th annual short course and winter meeting of the North Carolina Association of Nurservmen. held January 6 to 8 at Raleigh, J. S. Howard, Laurel Lake Nursery, Salemburg, was elected president of the association for 1957, to succeed Robert Gibson, Nettlewood Nurseries, Asheville, Mr. Gibson became chairman of the executive committee for the coming year. Knox Porter, Knox Porter Nursery, Rocky Mount, was elected vice-president, and Ralph Shannon, Southern Nursery Supply, Pinehurst, secretary-treasurer. Jerome Lindley, Jerome Lindley Nursery, Graham; Eelco Tinga, Tinga Nursery, Castle Hayne, and George Coulter, Charlotte, were elected to the executive board.

Over 60 nurserymen from North Carolina registered for the 2-day meet, which opened Sunday, January 6, with a buffet dinner in the North Carolina State College Union.

Monday morning the nurserymen got down to the business of the short course. Dr. Fred Cochran, head of the department of horticulture, University of North Carolina, welcomed the group. Dr. Cochran emphasized that the department of horticulture is currently making plans to strengthen the ornamentals research program better to serve the nursery industry in North Carolina. Dr. Cochran added that weed control, variety testing and marketing would be explored as much as possible. One of the plans calls for the establish-ment of a nursery research program at the field experiment station near Wilmington. This expanded program will allow the ornamentals research staff to study nursery stock as influenced by climatic conditions on the coast and in the Piedmont section of North Carolina.

Weed Control

For the next three hours, weed control held the nurserymen's attention. Dr. G. C. Klingman; William Westmoreland, extension specialist in weed control, and Dr. Robert Schramm, of the horticulture department, all of U. N. C., presented a report on the work completed in weed control and plans for the future. Dr. Schramm reported on the studies conducted with gladioli in

western North Carolina. The main weed chemicals used in the tests were Karmex compounds and dalapon. The results were inconclusive, and more research is needed before any significant recommendations can be released. Dr. Klingman reported that the present weed-control studies started in 1954, when ammonium nitrate and Karmex were first used on camellias and did an effective job of weed control.

Woody Ornamental Stock

One of the most pressing problems of the nurseryman is that of the control of weeds in his ornamental nursery stock. Estimates of the cost of this operation in North Carolina nurseries range anywhere from \$100 to over \$500 per acre annually. There are other factors to be considered besides the cost of cultivation to eradicate the weeds. Competition between weeds and nursery stock for water, nutrients, light and space further increases the operating cost per acre. Weeds actually result in poorer-quality plants, and it is the growing of quality plants which is the aim of every nurseryman.

During the past season considerable research was done on chemical weed control in woody ornamental nursery stock. Work is also under way on winter weed control, using various chemicals. Following is a summary of the best treatments from work done in 1956.

The research was concentrated on three species of holly—Ilex cornula burfordi, Ilex crenata rotundifolia and Ilex crenata convexa—and one species of dogwood, Cornus florida. The treatments listed here gave good weed control, with little or no injury to the ornamentals. All chemicals were applied, when weeds were about one inch high in late spring, in a wetting spray directed toward the base of the plants.

 Holly-Ilex cornuta burfordi, Ilex crenata convexa and Ilex crenata rotundifolia.

 Two pounds per acre of amine salt of DNBP and 10 pounds per acre of dalapon.

 Four pounds per acre of amine salt of DNBP and [5] pounds per acre of dalapon.

 One-half, one and two pounds per acre of DNBP in a wettable spray of No. 2 fuel oil.

 One, two and four pounds per acre of diuron applied to a weed-free surface.

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B. Dogwood-Cornus florida

 Two pounds per acre of amine salt of DNBP and 10 pounds per acre of dalapon.

 Four pounds per acre of amine salt of DNBP and 15 pounds per acre of dalapon.

3. One-half and one pound per acre of DNBP in a wetting spray of No. 2 fuel oil.

 One and two pounds per acre of diuron to a weed-free surface.

The amine salt of DNBP is sold under the trade name of Premerge and is also referred to as water-soluble dinitro. DNBP alone is sold un-[Continued on page 69]



Past President Robert Gibson, Asheville, N. C., at left, discusses landscaping the North Carolina state fair coliseum with the new president of the North Carolina Nurserymen's Association, J. S. Howard, Salemburg.

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Top Attendance at Maryland Meeting

Plastic Film Uses, Gibberellic Acid Research and Landscape Panel Featured

By Harry William Dengler

Attendance at the convention of the Maryland Nurserymen's Association January 7 numbered 150, including members, friends and out-oftown nurserymen and trade representatives. These braved an early morning snowstorm to make the event the most heavily attended winter meeting in the group's history. Headquarters for the affair was the Southern hotel, Baltimore.

The following officers were elected for the 1957 term: President, C. Warner Price, Towson Nurseries, Inc., Towson; vice-presidents, Robert S. Johnston, Eastern Shore Nurseries, Inc., Easton, and Gilbert Gude, A. Gude Sons Co., Rockville; treasurer, Carl Orndorff, J. H. Small & Sons, Inc., Chevy Chase; executive secretary, Carville M. Akehurst, Akehurst Nurseries, Fullerton, and education secretary, Dr. George S. Langford, University of Maryland, College Park.

President Carville Akehurst presided at the opening session and welcomed the group. He reviewed the activities of the association during 1956, the previous winter meeting, the summer meeting and other special events.

C. Willard Stoner, Westminster Nurseries, Inc., Westminster, treasurer, reported that of the 197 active members of the association only 14 are currently in arrears.

The association's executive secretary, Paul S. Hoffmann, Towson Nurseries, Inc., presented a complete report of the winter meeting at Baltimore.

Plastic Film Story

Dr. W. E. Whitehouse, assistant head of the plant introduction section, plant industry station, United States Department of Agriculture, Beltsville, Md., traced the development of the uses of plastic films in nursery work. Nurserymen, he said, are concerned with the stratification and storage of seeds, plus the propagation, packaging and transportation of plant materials. Workers in the plant introduction field have been faced with similar problems, especially the sending of seeds and scions over long distances by various transportation methods.

Dr. Whitehouse related that successful methods of shipping these expensive materials had been developed. During the past decade, however, mail and ship transportation from foreign countries became erratic, and losses were high. Now, with air transportation readily available, losses have dwindled to less than 10 per cent.

Formerly, perishable seeds were shipped in packages of moistened media. On long trips these seeds either dried out or germinated, rendering them unfit for use. Certain seeds and some scions were difficult to ship by the usual methods. Sometimes vacuum bottles were used with success, but too frequently these containers were broken in transit.

About this time a retired army officer became interested in raising litchi nuts in the south. He tried airlayering, using plastic film as a medium covering to prevent moisture losses. The officer had some success, but the film deteriorated too rapidly for good results.

Packaging Tests

About 1950, continued Dr. Whitehouse, it was reasoned that the use of plastic films might be a good method for packaging plant materials for shipment. This idea was tried with good results.

Dr. Whitehouse continued his talk with a review of the results of researchers in the use of plastic films in air-layering, propagation, seed stratification and packaging. He recalled an experiment conducted on some surplus apple trees in 1952. Bare-rooted trees were shipped to a distant point and returned unopened. Some trees were packed using the conventional methods, some enclosed in plastic wraps containing small pieces of moistened synthetic household sponges, some placed in plastic bags with no moisture added. The tests indicated that the use of plastics was good and resulted in reduced packaging and transportation ex-

The nursery field is still experimenting with the uses of plastic film. Interesting and practical uses for plastic films will be uncovered, Dr. Whitehouse concluded.

Gibberellic Acid

Dr. Paul T. Marth, senior physiologist, horticultural crops research branch, agricultural research service,

U. S. D. A., Beltsville, reported on the use of gibberellic acid as a plant regulator. In his work at Beltsville, he related, he receives many new chemical compounds, developed by industry and universities, for testing as to their effects on plants. Of some 8,000 tested for their use as growth regulators, several hundred have some effect, some good, some bad. Around 80 compounds are about as good as those now in use. None is exceptionally better generally, but here and there one compound may be superior to others for certain species, such as rhododendrons.

Gibberellic acid, Dr. Marth stated, is a plant-regulating chemical produced by a fungus grown in a liquid medium, from which the acid is extracted. Plant responses to applications of the acid vary according to species. Stems elongate at a relatively rapid rate, and leaves become slightly lighter in color than those on untreated plants. Relatively large doses may result in long, thin stems with small leaves. Sometimes, more lateral branches develop on the treated than on untreated plants.

At present, Dr. Marth said, there is no evidence that gibberellic acid directly induces the formation of flowers. Flower development has been affected, however, hastened in some cases and retarded in others. No effect has been noted on the rate of development or ripening of fruits. A reduction in the rate of root growth has been noted when stem

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Edward L. Stock, Jr., panel moderator at Maryland meeting.

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Late Trends Noted at Iowa Landscape Meeting

By Thomas A. Barton

A high level of interest in latest trends marked the fourth annual conference for landscape nurserymen held at Ames, Ia., January 9. The conference, sponsored by the department of landscape architecture at Iowa State College, was arranged and guided by Prof. R. R. Rothacker.

Discussion began with a research report on oak wilt and Dutch elm disease by Dr. Harold S. McNabb, associate professor of plant pathology. Dr. McNabb emphasized the importance of strict control measures in treating these diseases. Unfortunately, diseases in plant life cannot be cured on an individual basis, as in animal life. In plant pathology, the only possible control measures are preventive — aimed at protecting healthy trees from possible disease infection.

Oak wilt, a fungus disease between the bark and the wood, is known to be spread over a wide area by squirrels and insects. Birds may also be carriers, although no proof has been found. Three control measures are recommended in treating oak wilt. First, completely destroy any diseased tree by cutting and burning. This is necessary to destroy the fungus' fruiting structure. Second, if wilt symptoms are found in a grove or group of oaks, cut all roots within a 50-foot radius of any diseased tree before remov-

ing it. In a group planting, the roots tend to grow together and disease may be transmitted through these root grafts. Maintenance is the third control measure and consists of cleaning out deadwood and painting all wounds.

Dutch Elm Disease Data

Dr. McNabb described Dutch elm disease as a much more serious threat to the American landscape. The disease, first introduced into the United States on logs from Europe in 1930, has now reached the Mississippi river in its westward spread. Sanitation, spraying and maintenance are the important control measures in treating this disease. "Sanitation," stated Dr. McNabb, "means to cut down all dead elm trees and burn them; it means to debark all piles of elm wood and burn the bark."

Spraying with a white oil emulsion of DDT is advised when the disease is known to be in the locality. This is applied during the dormant stage—any time from fall to spring when weather permits. New research has eliminated the second spray.

In good maintenance, Dr. Mc-Nabb stressed not only the need for dressing all tree wounds, but also the importance of watching for discase symptoms and following with prompt action. Sending twig samples to local state plant disease laboratories is still the only sure method of disease identification.

Dr. McNabb stated that research is continuing along basic lines in an effort to learn why a tree dies and how it dies. If this problem is solved, then individual treatment of trees may follow. The answer may come in five years, 10 years, or longer.

A. F. den Boer, leading authority on flowering crab apples, presented an illustrated discussion of the best old and new trees. Among the better old varieties, Mr. den Boer listed Scheidecker, Jay Darling, Arnold, Sargent, Manchurian, Echtermeyer, double Chinese, Carmine, Purple, Aldenham purple and Prairie. A few of the many newer varieties described by Mr. den Boer were Van Eseltine, Makamik, Crimson Brilliant, Irene, Scafoam and Katherine.

Lawn Recommendations

The latest recommendations developed from research on lawns, seeds and fertilizer were presented by H. L. Lantz, of the horticultural experiment station, Iowa State College. Professor Lantz stated that most difficulties in lawn making and maintenance result from the lack of an adequate program of fertilization. A balanced fertilizer of 10-10-10. 12-12-12, etc., should be applied at a rate of 10 to 20 pounds to 1,000 square feet before seeding. Nitrogen is the chief need of lawns in Iowa. Established lawns should receive three pounds of nitrogen to 1,000 square feet each year. Professor Lantz recommended dividing this total application into three parts-a full dose in April, a half dose in the [Continued on page 104]



Timesaving, re-usable bud-wrapping clamp for nurserymen.

BUD-WRAPPING CLAMP

A. P. Brill, operator of the Siesta Groves, De Land, Fla., has applied for a patent on a re-usable bud-wrapping clamp which he believes will speed bud handling in other than the citrus field that is his specialty. The device replaces muslin wrappings and tying with rubber or plastic strips. It also saves time and tedious back-bending work, the inventor claims.

The re-usable bud-wrapping clamp is made of rustproof aluminum, spring activated, and has a rubber wrap two inches wide—more than enough to cover the bud completely—attached to the clamp by sharp spikes. These spikes permit quick adjustment of the waterproof rubber wrap to accommodate all

sizes of stock from 1-inch down to ½-inch, although the same setting of the rubber wrap will take from ½-inch stock up to and including ½-inch. The clamp arms are slightly bent to lock it around the stock and hold the 2-inch rubber wrap under tension on the bud at all times, as illustrated here.

The tough rubber wrap should last a couple of seasons, at least, the originator declares. New rubber or plastic wraps can be purchased for a nominal price and can easily be attached to the clamp. It is said, also, that the clamp makes counting and unwrapping buds simpler operations.

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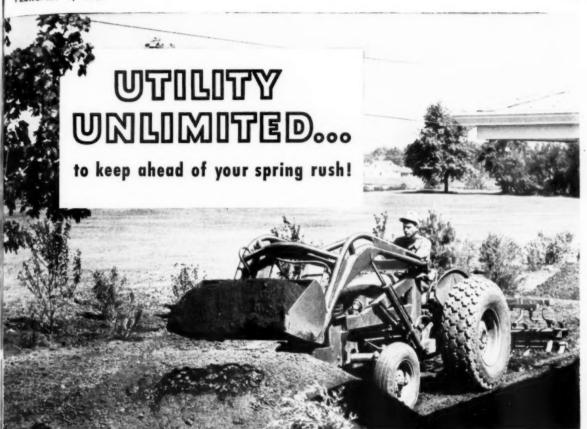
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COMING EVENTS

MEETING CALENDAR

January 30 to February 1—New Jersey Association of Nurserymen, winter meeting, Chalfonte-Haddon Hall hotel, Atlantic City, N. J.

January 30 to February 1—Michigan Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, Hotel Fantlind, Grand Rapids, Mich.

February 3 to 5—Southern Nurserymen's Association, third annual winter trade meet, Hotel Biltmore, Atlanta, Ga.

February 4 and 5—National Arborist Association, annual convention, Hotel Statler, New York, N. Y.

February 5—Kalamazoo Valley Landscape and Nurserymen's Association, midwinter educational meeting, Hotel Harris, Kalamazoo, Mich.

February 5 and 6—Oregon short course for nurserymen, florists, holly growers and landscape gardeners, Oregon State College, Corvallis, Ore. February 5 to 7—New England Nurs-

February 5 to 7—New England Nurserymen's Association, Hotel Kenmore, Boston, Mass.

February 6 — Lake County Nurserymen's Association and Lake county agricultural extension service, annual nursery school, Hellriegel's Inn, Painesville, O. February 7 and 8—West Virginia Nurservices

February 7 and 8—West Virginia Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Ruffner hotel, Charleston, W. Va.

February 13 and 14 — Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association, annual meeting. Warwick hotel, Philadelphia, Pa. February 13 to 15—Midwestern chap-

ter of the National Shade Tree Conference, Hotel Pfister, Milwaukee, Wis.

February 19 to 21—Nurserymen's conference, sponsored by Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pa.

February 20—Rhode Island Nurserymen's Association, annual meeting, Johnson's Hummocks grill, Providence, R. I. February 25 and 26—Short course for

Colorado nurserymen and arborists, Student Union building, Colorado A. and M. College, Fort Collins, Colo.

February 28 and March 1—Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association, short course, Waltham field station, Waltham, Mass.

NEW ENGLAND PROGRAM

Tuesday, February 5, the first day of the 46th annual meeting of the New England Nurserymen's Association at the Hotel Kenmore, Boston. Mass., features an address by the president of the association, Dick Van Heiningen, Van Heiningen Nurseries, Deep River, Conn., and reports of other officers.

The program for the convention, which continues through February 7, lists educational and research reports as the first topics of Wednesday morning's session. These will be delivered by Dr. T. W. Kerr, associate research professor in plant pathology and entomology, Univer-

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sity of Rhode Island, Kingston; Dr. James Horsfall, director of Connecticut agricultural experiment station. New Haven, and Dr. B. L. Ticknor, assistant research professor of nursery culture, University of Massachusetts, Amherst. An open discussion will be held at the conclusion of these reports.

Different aspects of the topic, "What Is a Fair Mark-Up on Plant Material from the Retailer to the Consumer?" will be presented by Harold Stevenson, Stevenson Land-

scape Service, Rockland, Mass.; Raymond S. McLay, and Milford Lawrence, H. V. Lawrence, Inc., Falmouth, Mass. "Wholesale Reply to the Retailer" will be given by Jack Brownell, Rhode Island Nurseries, Newport, R. I.; Chester E. Hogan, C. R. Burr & Co., Inc., Manchester, Conn., and Lester Needham, Adams Nursery, Inc., Springfield, Mass. After their addresses, the topic will be opened so a general discussion can be held.

Wednesday afternoon will be de-

voted to five round-table discussions: "Insects and Entomology," moderated by Dr. T. W. Kerr; "Merchandising," moderated by Frank Patrissi, Patrissi-Nursery-Center, Inc., West Hartford, Conn.: "Advertising and Sales Methods," moderated by Raymond McLay; "Landscaping," moderated by George Tuoti, Tuoti Landscape Co., Ridgefield, Conn., and "Propagating," moderated by Martin VanHol. VanHof Nurseries, Newport, R. I., and Case Hoogendoorn, Case Hoo-

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At Thursday morning's session, committee reports, election of officers and a report on the 1956 convention of the American Association of Nurserymen will precede an address by Dr. Donald Wyman, director of the Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plain, Mass., on "New Plant Material for New England." Thursday afternoon, the new officers will be introduced.

SOUTHERN TRADE MEET

Opening the program for the winter trade meet of the Southern Nurserymen's Association, February 3 to 5 at the Biltmore hotel, Atlanta, Ga., is a breakfast session of the board of directors Sunday morning, February 3. Registration will begin Sunday afternoon, and a hospitality and cocktail hour is scheduled for the evening.

Phillip Campbell, commissioner of agriculture for the state of Georgia,

will be the speaker at a luncheon to be held Monday. Plans call for a smorgasbord Monday evening, which is included in the registration fee, as are the luncheon and cocktail hour. The trade meet will close at noon February 5.

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scheduled for February 8, a banquet at Humphey's Dairy Bar will be held the preceding evening, February 7.

At the business meeting, which will be called to order at 8:30 a. m., committee reports and discussions of next summer's meeting will be first in order. After that, Curtis H. Porterfield, secretary of the American Association of Nurserymen, will talk on the "Tree Care Practice Act." and his remarks will be followed by a general discussion on a tree care

The rest of the morning will be devoted to a panel discussion of "Problems of the Nursery Industry." with the following speakers participating: Norman Cole, Jr.; William Springer; Atlee Conner; Glenn Lock. hart, and Fred Wildern.

After luncheon, there will be a tour of local nurseries.

PENNSYLVANIA AGENDA

Recently released by the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association, the program for its annual meeting to be held February 13 and 14 at the Warwick hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., features a morning of round-table discussions Wednesday, February 13.

The subject for the first round table will be "Garden Mart (Increasing Sales)," with James Feeney, Feasterville; John Eisler, Eisler Nurseries, Butler, and William Colsey, Philadelphia, participating. The second discussion topic is "Shade Tree Ordinances," which will be taken up by Herbert Hoechstetter. Hoechstetter's Nursery, Verona; Jack Kneally, and Robert Meahl. At the third round table, "Landscape Design" will be discussed by Jesse Flory, Stroudsburg: Owen Schmidt, and Jules Gregory.

The afternoon session will open with addresses delivered by the association president, Arthur B. Copenhaver, Copenhaver's Nurseries, Mechanicsburg, and by officers of the American Association of Nurserymen. Kenneth Leighton will explain "The Funded Liquidation Plan for the Nurseryman's Estate," and Joseph Langran, landscape architect, Philadelphia, will discuss "How Landscape Contractors Can Work with Landscape Architects." The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania chapter, A. A. N., will conclude the afternoon program. A cocktail hour and banquet will be held in the evening, featuring presentation of annual awards of the association.

A business session opens the program Thursday morning, which continues with a report by Curtis H.

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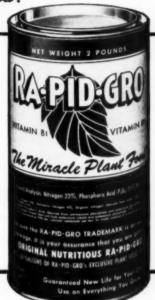
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After luncheon is served, Phillip Alampi, New Jersey state secretary of agriculture, will discuss "TV Selling," and George Spicer, New York city housing authority, will speak on "We're Looking for Plant Material." The convention will be brought to a close with the instal. lation of new officers

ARBORISTS' CONVENTION

Members of National Arborist Association, Inc., attending their annual convention at the Hotel Statler. New York, N. Y., February 4 and 5, will meet for the first general session Monday morning, February 4.

Al Meserve, Albert W. Meserve Co., Danbury, Conn., will present "Finding the Profit in the Tree Business," and H. P. Quadland, director of public information for the American Association of Nurserymen, will speak on "Selling Tree Service Through Public Relations." The last address of the morning session will be delivered by Allan Wikman, director of education and research, General Adjustment Bureau, Inc., New York, N. Y., whose topic will be "Insurance for Shade and Ornamental Trees and Adjusting Losses.

Speaking in the afternoon, Oliver A. Deakin, New Jersey state high-way department, Trenton, N. J., will outline "Opportunities for Arborists in Highway Landscaping." "Future Role of Chemicals in Plant Growth Control" will be discussed by Jack P. Taylor, agricultural chemicals division, American Chemical Paint Co., Ambler, Pa. A speaker has not vet been announced for the topic "Opportunities for Arborists in Industrial Landscaping." A brief program will conclude the dinner served Monday evening.

"The Physical Preparation of Soil and Its Effect on Plant Growth" will be presented by Dr. Oscar Eichmann. Long Island Agricultural and Technical Institute, Farmingdale, N. Y., as the first item on Tuesday morning's agenda. In a panel discussion on tree feeding, Freeman Parr, Parr & Hanson, Hicksville, N. Y., will pre-sent aspects of "Liquid Feeding," while Edwin E. Irish, Charles F. Irish Co., Cleveland, O., will explain the "Aero-Fertil Method." Another panel discussion will take up "Dutch Elm Disease-Progress in Control."

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John B. LaPorta, bureau of apprenticeship, United States Department of Labor, Trenton, N. J., will present the final talk of the convention, "Apprenticeship Training of Help." A general discussion to be held at the conclusion of Mr. LaPorta's address will close the program.

LAKE COUNTY TOPICS

The annual 1-day nursery school of the Lake County Nurserymen's Association will take place February 6 at Hellriegel's Inn, on Route 20, west of Painesville, O. The program will start at 9 a. m. and terminate at 5 p. m. with a workshop. Luncheon will be served at noon. In the evening members, guests and their wives and business associates are invited to attend a banquet. All nurserymen in Ohio and other states are invited to participate in the course.

Opening the program, Zolton Cavitch, Cleveland, O., a lawyer on the teaching staff of Western Reserve University, will discuss "Business and Organizational Problems," covering incorporation, partnerships and legal procedure.

Dr. R. B. Nieswander, of the Ohio state experiment station, Wooster, will talk on "New Insecticides and Revised Control Recommendations," Richard Plummer, Lake county engineer, will discuss "Drainage Problems."

Two panel discussions will follow. William Cole, Cole Nursery Co., Painesville, and two other trade members will speak on "Stock Record Control," while two other nurserymen, yet to be named, will talk on the subject of "Retailing."

PENNSYLVANIA SCHEDULE

Lawrence D. Little, general chairman of the nurserymen's conference sponsored by Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pa., has announced the dates of February 19 to 21 for the event.

This year the school of forestry of the agricultural extension service and the horticulture department have scheduled their annual meetings within the same week for the convenience of those growers who normally attend both conferences.

High lights of the conference will be talks and demonstrations on the subjects of landscaping, propagation, growing, merchandising, disease and insect control, plant materials and other related topics. James S. Wells, Red Bank, N. J., will speak on "Plant E

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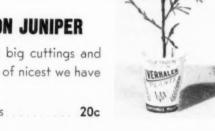
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No advanced registration is required; however, nurserymen may wish to arrange for lodging with any of the numerous motels servicing the state college area.

OHIO GARDEN SHOW

The central Ohio garden and outdoor living show will be held February 22 to March 3 at the Ohio state fairgrounds coliseum, Columbus, O.

The central area of the coliseum will be devoted to flower beds, lawns. shrubs and an outdoor living display. Arrangements for lectures and motion pictures to be presented at the show are being completed by one of the planning committees, which are headed by members of the Central Ohio Garden Supply Association. Landscape nurserymen, landscape architects and garden clubs are also taking part. Among the committee chairmen are Harry Babbert, Boulevard Gardens, Columbus, O., and Brett Slemmons, Slemmons Gardens, Worthington, O.

CANCEL HARTFORD SHOW

A difficult labor situation has caused the cancellation of the annual Hartford, Conn., spring garden and flower show, the Hartford Times, for many years sponsor of the event, has announced. The newspaper stated that the cancellation was made necessary by the withdrawal of 90 per cent of the nurserymen who had previously supported the event. The nursery owners cited labor problems as their reason for not participating this year.

MARCH 16 to 24 are the dates of the California international flower show, according to William A. Rodman, general manager. The event will be held at Hollywood Park, Inglewood, Calif.

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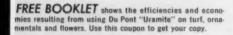
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SHOPPING FALLACIES

Many nurserymen are too much concerned about their competitors. They feel that their prices must be as low as or lower than their competitors' or they will lose out. There are several fallacies in this thinking.

The average homeowner is not a shopper. If he has made up his mind that he wants to buy a flowering tree for his lawn he will visit the nursery where he usually buys, or if he has not been buying nursery stock he will elect to go to the nursery most conveniently located or to the one that has impressed him the most by its advertising.

He probably will have only a vague idea of what he wants, so he will have to depend upon the advice of the nurseryman. If the nurseryman does a good job of selling and the tree satisfies him, the chances are the homemaker will pay the price the nurseryman asks, provided, of course, he feels it is within his means. It is unlikely that he has any preconceived idea of what the tree is worth.

If the customer lives where there is only one nursery it is unlikely he will drive to the next town just to find another. If he lives in or near a large city he will not do a lot of driving from one nursery to another hoping to save a little. He probably realizes he isn't qualified to make intelligent comparisons as to quality and price. He has to place his confidence in someone, and he will maintain that confidence as long as he feels he is being treated fairly.

Customer's Attitude

Put yourself in the customer's place. What do you do when you decide to buy a pair of shoes? You probably go to the store that handles the brand you prefer and that has given you good treatment. When you are fitted with a pair you like, you buy them. You do not go to another store unless you are unable to find what you want in the first one.

You buy your groceries the same way. You go to the food store that has a good assortment and has courteous employees. You do not go to three or four food stores looking for the lowest prices.

Of course, there are exceptions to

this practice. You may see something advertised at what appears to be a low price and you visit the store to see if it is of good value. If it is, you buy it, but you probably will not buy anything else there unless you are already a regular customer.

There are habitual shoppers. They are constantly looking for bargains, going from store to store, buying only low-priced merchandise. They almost never become regular customers.

Cut-Price Problem

There are shoppers for nursery stock, too. When you advertise something at a low price or give something away these shoppers will show up to take advantage of the bargains, but they will not call on you again until you offer another bargain. Such folks are not much good to any merchant.

In practically all of the larger cities one finds dealers in nursery stock who cater to the cut-price market. They handle only the poorest quality of nursery stock; oftentimes much of it is not adapted to the area in which it is being sold. Their facilities for caring for it are inadequate, and their knowledge of the merchandise is meager. They misinform their customers either through ignorance or stupidity.

Their customers are those who have had no experience in buying nursery stock and are attracted by the low prices. A rude awakening awaits them, because the bargains they buy and plant so carefully will not give the results they hoped for. Some of this cheap nursery stock will not even start to grow, some will survive only a short time and some

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10 to 15 ins., 3-yr., T50	.45	4 to 8 ins., 2-yr., S., 6.00 25.00 20.00 2 to 4 ins., 2-yr., S., 5.00 20.00 18.00	5 to 8 ins.,
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12 to 15 ins., 3-yr., T	.30		10 to 12 ins.,
Suonymus fortunel coloratus		Austrian Pine	Taxus cuspidate
Procumbent, broad-leaved creeper. 6 to 16 ins., 2-yr., T25	.20	3 to 6 ins., 2-yr., S., 8.00 25.00 20.00	8 to 10 ins.,
6 to 10 ins., 2-yr., T	.30	2 to 3 ins., 2-yr., S., 6.00 20.00 18.00 3 to 6 ins., 3-yr., T., 10.00 50.00	10 to 15 ins.,
uonymus fortunei erectus	*12.0	3 to 6 ins., 3-yr., 1., 10.00 50.00	Taxus media (F
(Big-leaved Winter Creeper)		(Once transplanted—see elsewhere	6 to 8 ins.,
10 to 12 ins., 2-yr., T		on this list.)	8 to 12 ins.,
10 to 12 ins. 2-yr., T		100 at 100 rate; 1000 at 1000 rate;	Thu ia occidenta
uonymus radicans coloratus		5000 and up at 10,000 rate.	(Golden Arbo
Small-leaved, procumbent creeper.		Each Each	8 to 10 ins.,
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12 to 15 ins., 3-yr., T35	.30	100 1000	Thuja occidenta
luonymus radicans vegetus		Juniperus glauca hetzi (Hetz Juniper)	golden tip ove
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8 to 10 ins., 2-yr., T	.45	15 to 18 ins., 3-yr., T55 .50	Thuja occidenta
2 to 15 ins., 3-yr., T	.55	Juniperus pfitzeriana compacta	10 to 12 ins.,
		(Nelson's variety). Gray-blue	12 to 15 ins.,
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10 to 15 ins., 3-yr., T55	50	10 to 15 ins., 3-yr., T65	Viburnum opulu
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Concolor Fir	12 to 18 ins., 4-yr., T90
	Pinus mugo (Dwarf Mugho Pine)
2 to 5 ins., 2-yr., S., 12.00 \$0.00	4 to 8 ins., 3-yr., T25
Norway Spruce	Pyracantha coccinea lalandi
6 to 10 ins., 2-yr., S., 8.00 28.00 25.00	6 to 8 ins., 1-yr., T25
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8 to 12 ins., 2-yr., S., 8.00 30.00	colors, from red plants. Seed-
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that does survive the first summer will succumb the first winter because it is not hardy. The disappointed and disillusioned customer is not likely to get any satisfaction from the dealer. The dealer knows that he will not sell that customer again, so he refuses to make any sort of adjustment.

Nuisance Operators

Such operators know that they have to get an entirely new batch of customers every year and in order to do it they have to sell cheap merchandise at low prices and advertise extensively. They never build up a regular clientele.

These unscrupulous dealers in nursery stock are a nuisance that one wishes could be controlled by legislation. However, no one has come up with a practical method of control by law. This situation is not peculiar to the nursery business. Almost ev-

ery industry has to contend with such operators. Florists have competition from street-corner operators who sell short-stemmed roses, carnations and gardenias for extremely low prices; for every good-quality electrical appliance put on the market, cheap substitutes are offered; highquality clothing is aped in design and in shoddy materials, etc.

The legitimate nurseryman has little to fear in the long run from unscrupulous dealers in nursery stock. The bargain buyer usually learns his lesson after the first experience. Thereafter he will patronize established nurseries, knowing that he will have to pay higher prices to get good nursery stock.

Place for Fortitude

It may be that you have a competitor who sells good nursery stock at prices that are too low. This is a situation hard to face with equanimity. You may be tempted to cut your prices to meet his, but that is to be resisted with all your fortitude.

Cutting prices is a risky practice which, if persisted in, is bound to lead to disaster. If you are certain that your prices are not higher than necessary to insure a fair profit, there are only two ways of looking at the situation. Either your competitor's prices are too low or your cost of operation is too high. If your costs are too high, it will be up to you to remedy that situation if you can. But if your competitor's prices are too low, it is only a question of time until he will have to raise his or go out of business.

The smart nurseryman offers his customer only good merchandise, renders courteous and intelligent service, keeps his cost as low as is consistent with his type of operation and charges prices that will insure him a fair profit.

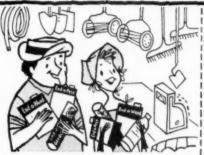
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plete picture of the gypsy moth problem, Frank Soraci, director, division of plant industry, Trenton, N. J., was asked to make a few remarks. Federal contributions to fight this pest are set at \$3,000,000, he said. There is general agreement from government officials that the gypsy moth can be eradicated from the northeast. New Jersey, he said, has put considerable pressure forward to get the eradication program started, as has Pennsylvania. The future of the program, he believed, will depend upon what is done in New York during the spring of this year. If progress is not made, the program may as well be forgotten, which will mean that the gypsy moth will take over the hardwood forests as far as the Mississippi river.

Sales-Training Program

Norman Johnstone, of Garden Foundation, Inc., Baltimore, Md., appeared on the program Monday to present some brief remarks on the national garden supply show sponsored by Garden Foundation, Inc., and tell of the sales-training program developed by the foundation. He related that the garden supply business

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is running over \$3,000,000,000 a year and that one-third of the sales are by nurserymen. It appears, he said, that the nursery business will increase in the years ahead.

To help train people to sell garden supply products, the foundation has had experts uncover trade-tested sales techniques which have been put on records, and the latter are supplemented with booklets. These aids are available to dealers to use in training their sales forces. Mr. Johnstone introduced Max Brunk, professor of

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marketing, department of agricultural economics, New York state college of agriculture, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., who demonstrated the five records and projected the pages of the booklets on a screen.

Sales Pointers

The first booklet revealed the following important points: (1) The customer gets a vital impression of the salesman and the store in the first 14 seconds. (2) A busy atmosphere in the store aids, for customers MAN



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like buying where others are doing so. (3) Customer's actions will tell how to begin helping him to buy. (4) One should greet a customer by referring to some feature of the merchandise; if possible, use his name. (5) Acknowledging a customer's arrival with a smile and nod will do when one is busy with another buyer. (6) Interruptions are more bothersome to the customer than to the salesman, so handle them politely, but firmly.

Second Booklet

The second booklet stressed the following: (1) To know one's product means to know what the product will do for the customer-that's what the customer wants to buy! (2) Guard against catching "about-itis." Make answers specific. (3) Listen to the experiences of customers; question distributors about products and use them one's self. (4) Make demonstrations short and simple and quickly get the customer into the demonstration act. (5) When one cannot answer a customer's questions, say so, but take the initiative in finding the desired information for

The third booklet brought out the following points: (1) The more one gets the customer to talk, the more

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The fourth booklet emphasized the following: (1) Watch the customer's reactions and answer objections before they become an issue. (2) Rec-

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A. A. N. Activities

The Tuesday morning session, devoted to a general meeting of region I of the American Association of Nurserymen, was called to order by Chairman Flemer, who made some general observations on the nursery industry. Inventories, he said, are still lagging behind demand. The wage scale in the nursery industry is not high enough to attract good labor. While the demand for goods is high, costs, including freight rates, are rising. Prices can be raised, but there is the problem of educating the public on the costs of production. One of the easiest ways, he thought, was to produce an educational film.

Mr. Flemer introduced Valleau Curtis, Curtis Nurseries, Callicoon, N. Y., A. A. N. director from region I. who talked on A. A. N. activities from the regional viewpoint. Currently, he said, there are 363 members in region I, representing a growth of six members in the past year. These members, he said, account for 35 per cent of the dues of the entire association. Mr. Curtis touched on the work of the A. A. N. to get federal appropriations for gypsy moth control work. He urged nurserymen to cooperate with government officials in this program. Turning to the highway program, he urged nurserymen to put pressure on departments of public works to get landscaping of highways put into highway planning. He mentioned that New York nurserymen, with the assistance of Howard Quadland, A. A. N. director of information. were compiling a list of key people in areas where the roads will be built, so a mailing can be made on highway beautification.

Washington Viewpoint

To give the Washington viewpoint of A. A. N. activities, Richard P. White, executive vice-president, was introduced. He complimented the region I, A. A. N. members for being organized to meet at the eastern convention to discuss national problems. Dr. White said he had been unsuccessful in getting other regions so to organize.

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The impact of the highway roadside program is beginning to be felt. Roadside engineers are wondering what should be done to roadsides, and they are calling upon the A. A. N. for advice, he said. A. A. N. officials can prepare the way, but it is up to the state associations to push the program to its completion.

The current stand of the wage and hour division of the Department of Labor is that purchase of any amount of stock for immediate resale will exempt the labor handling it from the agricultural classification. The breaking point used to be 10 per cent, then 5 per cent, and now the A. A. N. is trying to determine where the breaking point actually is. The association is attempting to pick an exemplary case which it can take to court, if necessary, so labor in nurseries will not lose its agricultural classification.

Dr. White concluded his remarks by stating that it appears that the A. A. N. is headed for a good expansion in membership.

Trade Practice Rules

The fair trade practice rules were discussed by James Horton, special counsel to the A. A. N. He stated that since the rules have been in effect, a little over five months, he has been pleased with the reception and compliance. He pointed out that the rules apply to every member of the industry and to make progress under them requires the cooperation of everyone. Mr. Horton urged the nurserymen to be informed on the rules and added that the A. A. N. has performed an outstanding service for its members in the trade practice work.

There are many words in the English language that can be used to describe a product, he stated, so it is not necessary to use those that deceive the public. Mr. Horton reviewed some of the rules on advertising collected nursery stock and greenhouse bench-grown stock and pointed out others that need further clarification. He said that in guaranteeing a product it is necessary to set up the terms and conditions under which the plants are guaranteed.

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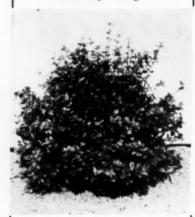
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industrial landscaping awards competition. He believed there should be more. Howard Quadland was called upon to present a review of the publicity efforts and accomplishments of the committee. He stated that in addition to the article on highway beautification which appeared in the Reader's Digest, one on industrial landscaping will appear next spring. These articles, he stated, represent \$300,000 worth of advertising.

He related that the demand for tropical foliage plants is growing, and garden centers can cash in on this market during the winter months. The nursery industry, through promotion, is becoming more of a year-around business.

Mr. Quadland said he is encouraged to see the advance in the "Plant America" program and the nursery industry in the past seven years. Lethargy in promotion, he warned, should not set in when sales are good in an industry.

He believed that an estimate of a 40 per cent increase in the nursery business during the next 10 years might be low, but it is necessary to take advantage of opportunities to promote the industry.

Completing the morning program, Richard Farnham, of the International flower show in New York city. was called upon to make some remarks about the spring show to be held March 31 to April 6 in the new Coliseum. He said 28 gardens are being planned, and many more information booths will be installed.

Ground Cover Forum

Much interest was apparent in the plant forum held Tuesday evening in the Grand ballroom. Subject of the session was ground cover plants, their value, selection and use. Seth Kelsey, Kelsey-Highlands Nursery, East Boxford, Mass., served as moderator, while panel members were Edward Costich, Hicks Nurseries, Inc., Wes-bury, L. I., N. Y.; H. Gleason Mattoon, Arlington, Vt., author and lecturer, and Dr. Donald Wyman, Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

The chief value of ground cover plants, it was stated, is that they are great timesavers. Many shrubs will flourish better with a ground cover planted beneath them. Another value of ground covers is that they give a finished look to a foundation planting, when unfinished plants are planted at their proper distance. A plant cannot be considered a good ground cover, the panel agreed, unless it will start off and grow without

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about 20 outstanding woody evergreen ground covers, and Mr. Costich and Mr. Kelsey reviewed a number which they thought were good. It was agreed that much research and exploring needs to be done with ground covers, but the panel wished to discuss some of the better plants so nurserymen could try ground covers besides the standbysvinca, pachysandra and English ivy.

Among the ground covers preferred by the panel to those named were Rosa wichuraiana, or memorial rose; Galax aphylla; Euonymus fortunei coloratus, or purple-leaved wintercreeper; Pachistima canbyi, and Arctostaphylos uva-ursi, or bearberry.

Landscape Awards

A high light of the luncheon in the Grand ballroom on Tuesday noon was the presentation of the industrial landscaping awards, by Richard Wyman. Plaques were presented to representatives of the Carrier Corp., Syracuse, N. Y., and the Long Island Lighting Co., Hicksville, L. I., N. Y. To an official of Valley Stream, L. I., N. Y., went an institutional landscaping award for the planting of the Village Hall. Lewis & Valentine Nurseries, Inc., Greenvale. L. I., N. Y., was the recipient of an award for the planting of the Long Island Lighting Co. grounds. Hewlett Lewis accepted the plaque.

The audience was highly amused by the humorous talk delivered by James Gheen, a professional speaker, which followed.

Wednesday noon, the nurserymen learned of some of the difficulties in forecasting weather, as humorously related by C. L. Hosler, professor of meteorology, the Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pa. For accurate weather predictions he suggested going to a reliable meteorologist. Commenting on rainmaking, he said it has little effect upon the weather. Prior to the luncheon, Dr. Jospeh Howland, O. M. Scott & Sons Co., Marysville, O., was presented with an honorary membership in the N. L. N. A.

Monday evening the nurserymen and their wives attended the annual reception in the Grand ballroom. staged by region I of the A. A. N. Complimentary flowers were provided for the ladies, and refreshment

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and will not thrive in industrial areas. Richness of soil is not a necessity, many species doing fairly well on poor land, but good drainage without dryness is essential for good growth. The species does well, when properly located, in the Middle Atlantic states where, if given plenty of light and air, it is a fine-looking tree

Unlike many conifers, the fir is not prone to mutation, and its few species are represented by numerous varieties and forms suitable for cultivation. However, the blue-leaved, semidwarf form of the American western species, A. nobilis, is a most attractive ornamental plant. A. nordmanniana aurea also makes an unusually noteworthy specimen.

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of alternate hosts is the only effective control. Prompt attention to wounds involving the heartwood is the best way to avoid heart rot.

The cover illustration is from a photograph by Gavaghan & Dobson of a specimen in a park planting at Rochester, N. Y.

LANDSCAPE DAY

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customers, which will offset the lower prices asked by mass outlets. Then, too, the nurseryman offers a larger variety of stock. Even though the do-it-yourself movement is strong, there are still many people who want service. While most nursery businesses start out as a 1-man venture, it is wise to build up the operation so it employs specialists.

One of the best ways to advertise a landscape business is to do creditable work on each job, said Mr. Stangler. When homeowners in a block see a firm's truck parked in front of a house where landscape work is being done, they become acquainted with the name of the firm employed. If the nurseryman gives people their money's worth, he will win out over competition.

The nurseryman has the advantage in that he can hire more trained men; can have greater efficiency in his operation, since he performs more related jobs; he can shift personnel from the garden shop operation to the landscape operation, and he can purchase in large quantities, equaliz-ing inventories between the garden shop and landscape end of the busi-

Mr. Eisler related that his firm has a garden shop, does landscape work and grows nursery stock on 250 acres. In winter, trees from five to 12 inches are moved. Many veterans, he said, are now in the process of paying off their mortgages but will be purchasers of nursery stock in the years ahead. Wages for labor in the nursery business need to be increased so good personnel can be retained.

Industrial planting has increased tremendously in the past few years and will continue, for manufacturing plants are not being built in congested areas and thus have room for landscaping. Mr. Eisler related that his garden shop is closed on Sunday without any adverse effect on his business. He believed this practice will need to be followed in the future, to compete for labor.

Predictions

Many controversial opinions were expressed by the last panel member, Dr. Howland. He pointed out that

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the size of house lots is increasing and people are demanding more privacy. In addition, people will have more leisure time in the future to devote to gardening. Dr. Howland predicted that there will be fewer landscape architects in the future.

The highway program, he stated, will not mean much to the nurseryman for five more years, and probably not much then. Utility companies are against the planting of shade trees. Tree plantings are blamed in traffic accidents, resulting in bad publicity. The highway program has already bogged down, he said, due to lack of funds.

In the future, supermarkets will sell more nursery stock, but, he added, so will nurserymen. The nurseryman should be concerned with what the public wants. People want knowledge, not just service. They want to see what is available and how it will look in their gardens.

There will be more evening shopping in the future, also, said Dr. Howland. Nurserymen should install small playgrounds so children can be occupied while their parents shop.

More Time at Home

Dr. Howland believes that nurserymen are losing sales by not offering more holiday specials. With the increasing traffic accident rate, more people will be staying home and working in the garden on holidays. He suggested advertising on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, since supermarkets advertise on Thursdays, and the nurseryman does not wish to be associated with them.

New packaging methods need to be developed. The customer does not always have time to plant immediately after purchase. Container stock has been accepted slowly in the east, pointed out Dr. Howland, but it is not the complete answer.

In the future, nurserymen will have to sell bedding plants and also will have to do more with indoor plants, believed Dr. Howland.

Site Planting

Wednesday afternoon John O. Simonds, Simonds & Simonds, landscape architects' firm of Pittsburgh, Pa., talked on problems of the landscape contractor and the landscape architect on large-scale projects. About 5 to 10 per cent of the landscape architect's time is spent on the planting of a large-scale job. He is not concerned just with making a site pretty, but he is interested in safety, improving the climate and other features.

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ing, or he can lose heavily. He pointed out a recent hospital planting which took three years to complete; 28 out of 68 contractors went broke on the job.

Never bid on a job without seeing the plans and documents, he cautioned. Clauses setting a schedule of payments, stating whether it is a union job or indicating if water is to be furnished by the subcontractor are important to know. Landscape contractors never ask to see core borings, yet what is underneath the topsoil is important. The access to the site needs to be known; the kind and amount of topsoil should be investigated beforehand. Eliminate the unknowns, he advised. Ask to see the budget and check unit prices for previous landscape jobs. See the landscape architect; he will help one to bid intelligently.

Bid Safely

Bid safely on jobs at first. Later costs can be trimmed and finally after 10 bids one may get a job. If the job is too big, one can go in with

another landscape contractor. If one does get a job, Mr. Simonds advised going over the plan with the landscape architect to organize the job efficiently.

Order materials ahead, anticipate problems and mechanize for savings, it was further advised. Request payments before they are due and ask for interim inspections reported in writing were additional suggestions.

Nurserymen, said Mr. Simonds, should be aware of the plant materials that are used on big planting projects and grow them in quantity. For one job it required three and one-half weeks to tag all material and necessitated visiting many nurseries in several states, and most of the plant materials were common.

Time-Saving Device

The final talk before adjournment of the convention was on a new labor-saving method of taking inventory and making sales reports, with a demonstration of the equipment. Edward Anderson, landscape salesman for the Oak Park Nurseries, East Patchogue, L. I., N. Y., was the speaker.

He related that the Oak Park Nurseries have 70 acres of stock, with a well diversified line. Taking inventory is a problem, for it requires two men six weeks, and completion is dependent on the weather. The inventory record should be in office form as soon after the first of the year as possible.

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Reflections on the Problems of Nurserymen By E. Sam Hemming

PERMANENT PLANTINGS

Recently I was asked to give a talk to a garden club on the subject "Planting for Permanency." first thought the idea seems a simple one, but after further consideration, one sees a number of aspects, some of them contradictory. The real answer is that, while plants live a relatively long time, none of them is permanent. Furthermore, the gardener would not really want them to be so, for a great part of the attraction of any garden is the change from season to season and year to

The first consideration in planting for permanence would be the physical characteristics of the plot in question. It must have at least eight inches of topsoil, with other desirable features. The right topsoil might be a difficult order to fill, but, as any landscape nurseryman can tell you, a property with poor soil will almost defeat him before he starts. Hauling in soil and fertilizing are at the best substitute expedients, used when necessary but never ideal.

Basic Plan Important

The next step would be the formulation of a good basic plan. The plan can be an elaborately detailed one drawn by a professional, or it can be a simple outline sketch or even a mental plan. The plan does a number of things. It sets a definite goal, where the essentials are visualized, and it deters wide deviation from a goal or change of plans in the middle of development. Without a plan the development of the property becomes hit or miss, and the end result is unsatisfactory.

The trees should be planted first, and they are the most nearly permanent garden features. Among the trees there are some that are longlived and others that are relatively short-lived; those are not the only bases for selection. Often a naturally long-lived species grows poorly when it is moved out of its favored environment. To an opposite extent, some exotic trees will do as well or better when moved from their natural environment, because they are moved away from the locality where diseases and pests which attack them are well established.

The planting of evergreen trees, as in a windbreak or shelter, is governed by the same considerations as the planting of shade trees, with the additional benefit that they can protect each other. The choice of species of both shade trees and evergreens will vary considerably with different sections of the country. In the midwest they will run to oaks, hard maples, tulip poplar, beech, linden and gums; among the evergreens, to cedars, firs, spruce, some pines and hollies.

Foundation Plantings

In the dooryard or foundation planting, the selections are often more difficult and the chances for error are greater. The selection, both in evergreen and deciduous classes, should be governed not only by ecol-

ogy and natural longevity, but also by the ultimate height to which a tree naturally grows. This is the reason for the great popularity of the dwarf taxus, for that is the only conifer that fulfills all of the specifications named. It is also the reason the broad-leaved evergreens are still more suitable for this purpose where they may be grown. In their natural habitat, the broad-leaved evergreens are, in a sense, undergrowth or underplanting, so that they grow naturally both under a canopy and low or dwarf in habit.

When it comes to the flower gardens, the borders, hedgings, edgings and specimen or feature plants should be permanent. While perennials, in a sense, are permanent, it is doubtful if this characteristic is vital in a flower garden. A few per-ennials like dictamnus, lycoris, peonies, old-fashioned roses, German iris and daffodils seem to be immortal, but they do not make a garden without assistance from less permanent varieties.

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festations. The infestation at Sheldon is spreading about 12 miles each vear.

There are, of course, some isolated spots besides these areas in which

the beetle is present. It is doubtful that the Japanese beetle can be completely eradicated, said Mr. Seifert. Only good control is to be expected. Now the need is for individual control by farmers, who are being urged to apply Japanese beetle controlling insecticide with fertilizers.

The legislative committee of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association was asked to work on the problem of securing more state and federal funds to be used for Japanese beetle control work in the state of Illinois.

President's Address

A luncheon preceded the formal opening of the Illinois nurserymen's convention Monday afternoon in the Illinois room of the Hotel La Salle. In his brief address, President John Tures pointed out that the enormous and steady increase in the population of the United States, now at the rate of 3,000,000 persons a year, means proportionately more houses,

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In partial reply, he said that it is up to the individual nurseryman to try to solve not only the problems facing his business but those confronting the entire nursery industry and not leave it up to the other fellow. The man who supports and works for his industry and his trade association should not regard his efforts as a big favor for the other fellow; he is doing a bigger favor for himself. He asked each member to work on at least one association project during the coming year.

Farm Situation

As an expert on farm economics and a farmer himself, Dave Livingston, Washington, Ia., explained why there has been no recent depression for the entire nation, even though farmers have fared poorly. In the 1920's and 1930's farming was by far the largest industry in the United States in every respect, and when bad times hit it, there was no other industry large enough to carry the nation over the depression years. But since 1951 the building industry has become the nation's largest industry and to such an extent that its prosperity has been able to carry the whole economy over the recent 4-year farm depression. Also this depression has affected different kinds of farming in different years and not all at once. Mr. Livingston sees no reason for a depression in the near future, for today there are several industries to bolster the economy if the farmers continue to have hard going.

Surpluses in farm crops are exaggerated, the speaker said. No one has defined just how much is normal reserve and how much more is excess surplus, and this Mr. Livingston advocated be done.

Having passed from an economy of subsistence to abundance, the American people are quite different from ever before, said Pierre D. Martineau, director of research for the Chicago Tribune. Today consumers have money, even though most of them really have credit, not actual cash, and it does not occur to them that the use of credit is not

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The pressure of the right kind of advertising on the consumer can bring amazing results. It is not what a product really is, but what the people believe it is. The reason many products do not sell well is not because they are not good, but because they are not made attractive or interesting. Merely changing the color, the design of the label or the style of the package, while keeping the product the same, can often boost sales immensely. The housewife now wants a second or third telephone in her home just because she can have it in a color to match a certain room, or a new refrigerator or washer because now there are colors and styles to match the kitchen walls. The family has to have a new car every three years, not because the old one does not run well, but because the new model is more colorful, more stylish.

The Human Element

Two excellent speakers presented worth-while messages after the luncheon, January 15. First, Dr. Kenneth McFarland, Topeka, Kan., educational consultant and lecturer for General Motors Corp., eloquently put across the point that the human element is a so much greater factor in our businesses or vocations than we realize. People, be they employees or customers, are not problems; they are assets. "You" is the common denominator. Whom are you working for? Whom are you trying to please? You, be it yourself or the other fellow.

Dr. McFarland offered some interesting statistics from a study made by Leland Stanford University on why men and women are fired from factory jobs. Ninetythree per cent are fired for reasons not even remotely connected with skill or know-how. Laziness, absenteeism, intemperance, immorality and disloyalty are the chief reasons. Morality, or basic good character, has proved to have greater and

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Dr. McFarland asked, "What kind of vehicle do you have for delivering your skills, your know-how?" Skills and knowledge are like products; they are not of value until they are marketed or delivered. Your vehicle is yourself.

You have got to be a "man," said the speaker. You do not get a paycheck just because you are a man, but you do not receive any or much of one if you do not act like one. To be a "man," you have to have respect for other people. Try to remember that everyone who walks into your place of business is like a guest of the family, and treat him as such.

How much more successful all of us would be in business, said Dr. McFarland, if we would celebrate December 25 every day in its true spirit, remembering and using what the man whose birthday that is said, "He who would be chief must be servant of all." The speaker closed with this verse, which he believes describes well the basis of the whole free enterprise system.

"The meek and the gentle, The ribald and the rude, He took as He found them And did them all good."

How to Listen Well

More words of Christ, "Unto you who hear shall more be given," closed and summed up the talk, "The Art of Listening," by the other speaker, Dr. Ralph G. Nichols, head of communications program, University of Minnesota, St. Paul.

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Inefficient listening is a real problem. Dr. Nichols' tests have proved that college freshmen have only a 25 per cent efficiency level of listening. Strange as it may seem to us at first thought, the best listeners are first graders. Six-year-olds have a 90 per cent listening efficiency level; second graders have an 80 per cent level, and this dwindles year by year down to the 25 per cent level of college freshmen.

Listening Efficiency

A business executive or salesman may spend 80 per cent of his time with communication, and probably half of that time in listening. So it is well to remember that he is being paid as much for his listening ability as for his speaking ability. Today many businesses have instituted programs on how to listen well for their management personnel. Among them are General Motors Corp., General Electric Co., Ford Motor Co. and American Telegraph & Telephone Co., as well as many smaller firms. The American Management Association and the Bureau of National Affairs have published

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pamphlets on how to listen. And several courses teaching the subject of listening may be purchased.

Bad Listening Habits

Everyone can become a better listener if he would first rid himself of his bad listening habits, said Dr. Nichols. He then listed the 10 worst listening habits. One of these is calling a subject uninteresting before one even hears any of the talk. As someone has put it, there are no uninteresting subjects, only uninterested listeners. Criticizing the speaker's delivery or appearance is a bad fault. Becoming overstimulated by what the speaker says and wanting to argue with him is a third fault. Learn to withhold evaluation until your comprehension of what the speaker has said is complete. Do not listen only for facts; get the main ideas. Another bad habit is that of trying to make an outline of the speaker's talk. Adjust your type of note taking to the speaker's talk no matter how he presents it.

Faking attention to the speaker and tolerating or creating distractions are two more bad habits. It is a bad idea to avoid listening to difficult or expository material. When people listen only to comedians on television and never voluntarily subject themselves to educational programs, such as round-table discussions, how can they be expected to pay attention to more difficult subject matter when they are involun-tarily subjected to it. Letting emotion-laden words cause us to stop listening for several sentences is a common bad habit.

The tenth worst habit and probably the most important, said Dr. Nichols, is wasting the differential between speech and thought speed. The average person talks at a rate of 125 words a minute and the public speaker at 100 words a minute. but the average listener listens at 400 to 700 words a minute. It has been estimated that one listens for 10 seconds out of every minute. For the other 50 seconds, the average listener goes out on mental tangents. If we could listen 60 seconds of each minute, we could not only hear what the speaker says, but understand and interpret his words and even hear between the lines.

There are three things to do to listen well, said Dr. Nichols. First, anticipate the speaker's next point. Second, identify the kind of supporting evidence he uses. Third, mentally recapitulate every three

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was composed of an afternoon program by the American Association of Nurserymen and a banquet in the evening. A report of these will appear in the next issue.

ILLINOIS A. A. N. CHAPTER

A short meeting of the Illinois chapter 3 of the American Association of Nurserymen was held January 15 at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago. President John Tures, Des

Plaines, presided.

New officers of the chapter will be the same as those for the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association, with the exception of the secretary, because the new state association secretary is not an A. A. N. member. Miles W. Bryant, Princeton, will continue as A. A. N. chapter secretary. New directors elected are Corliss Ingels, Home Nursery, Lafayette, and John Fiore, Prairie View. Delegates to the national convention will be selected in June by the chapter's board of directors.

MAIL-ORDER MEETING

[Concluded from page 10]

N. M. O. N. A., called upon Robert Meredith, of the A. A. N. headquarters staff, to discuss the postal rate situation. He felt certain that a request will be made to the current Congress similar to that made last year for increases in second and third-class mail, while he believed the postmaster would ask for an increase on first-class mail from 3 to 5 cents and on air mail from 6 to 8 cents. Before rate increases can be considered, he said, there is a general move for a major policy statement to be adopted on postal service.

Turning to public law No. 199, he stated that the A. A. N. is interested in it because it believes the law is greatly increasing the cost of parcelpost service. Mr. Meredith related that there is a good possibility that

the law will be modified.

Reporting as program chairman, Hugh Steavenson, Forrest Keeling Nursery, Elsberry, Mo., urged members to return the questionnaires with suggestions as to what type of program they would like at the August meeting.

Completing the meeting, Robert Bauge, Judson Wholesale Nursery, Bristol, Ind., reported the date change for the August meeting and said that booth space for associate members would be continued. With a balance of \$7,500 on hand, he asked the members for ideas on additional services which the association might perform.

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A. M. Doerner

Armin M. Doerner, long associated with the nursery trade in the northwest, died at his home at El Sobrante, Calif., January 3, of a heart attack. He was born at Denver, Colo., in 1893.

Mr. Doerner was gradauted from Oregon State College, Corvallis, in 1916, having specialized in horticulture and landscape design, and went on to Kansas State College, Manhattan, for post-graduate work. After that, he was professor of landscape design and architecture at Washington State College, Pullman.

In 1923, he joined the firm of Doty & Dorris, Portland, Ore., and at the death of Mr. Dorris, in 1925, the firm was incorporated under the name of Doty & Doerner, Inc. He was an expert on landscape construction and served as vice-president of the firm until his retirement.

In 1931, he took a 4-year leave of absence from the nursery business to serve the federal government in the forest service and national park service.

He was active in the old Pacific Coast Nurserymen's Association and in the Portland Nursery Club. He later assisted with the organization of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen and became its ninth president in 1942.

Mr. Doerner retired from active nursery management in 1949 and moved to the east bay area in California where he had since resided. He later became associated with East Bay Nursery, Berkeley, where he worked until his death.

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J. Edward Wilson

J. Edward Wilson, owner of the Wilson Nurseries, Newport, R. I., died December 31 in a nursing home at Newport. Born at Newport 83 years ago, Mr. Wilson took over operation and ownership of the nursery upon the death of his father, who had started the business.

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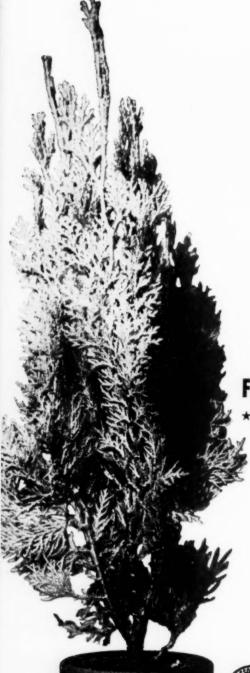
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A Georgia reader, who will have a large dry wall to plant during the next two years, asks for a few comments on the plants best suited to the work. I am grateful for the request, for it gives me a chance to say a few words in praise of two or three excellent plants that gardeners of the north cannot enjoy because of their tenderness to cold but that should fill many roles in southern

gardens.

The first plant that came to mind when I read the letter was the gromwell, which I long knew as Lithospermum prostratum but am now told by the authorities to call lithodora. If my Georgia friend or anyone else starts to look for it, he will no doubt find it under label of Lithospermum prostratum and, if he finds its variety Heavenly Blue, he will have one of the loveliest of evergreen, blue-flowered prostrate growers. I do not know just how much cold it can stand; it definitely is not for latitude 45 degrees unless given far more attention than ordinary gardeners (of which I am one) care to give their plants. I have, however, seen the plant doing splendidly in a south wall, in about halfshade, in the vicinity of Cincinnati, O. Controversy still is rampant about its culture, some stoutly maintaining that it is a lime lover, while others are equally vehement in their assertions that it requires a peaty soil. As I recall it now, though I do not locate a corroborating note at the moment, my best success came in a neutral soil. The plant is easily grown from soft cuttings, preferably taken from nonflowering wood during July, I believe, and rooting them in a peaty, shaded frame. Better and quicker results will usually follow use of one's favorite root-promoting substance. Pot up cuttings singly in small rose pots and winter them in a protected frame. Be careful of damage to the fragile, pinkish roots when taking them out of the cutting bed.

If I knew more about the plant known in gardens as Lithospermum rosmarinifolium, I might recommend it for our inquirer's attention; not knowing anything about it from personal experience or from observation, I can only quote others.

In the February, 1935, My Garden, A. T. Johnson had this to say about the plant. "I have just come in from admiring the dense rug of brilliant green with which it (Lithospermum rosmarinifolium) is draping an ugly, very hot wall; and before these words are in type that beautiful verdure will be blued with big flowers in a blue that even Gentiana sino-ornata has never exceeded in brilliance."

After describing the beauty of the plant, Farrer expressed the thought that, "for the English garden, L. rosmarinifolium, though in itself quite reasonably hardy, must be pronounced to be valueless except insofar as a stray bloom here and there. managing to slip out into beauty between two snowstorms and two deluges at the New Year . . ." If our correspondent has a climate that will permit winter flowering, the rosmary-leaved gromwell should fit into his schedule. Incidentally, I do not find the plant mentioned at all in "Hortus."

True rosemary, Rosmarinus offi-

cinale, an evergreen subshrub of five or six feet, from the Mediterranean regions, would not be suited to the present need, but it has a form, variety prostratus, that should make an excellent wall covering in Georgia; in fact, it should answer the purpose much farther north than the Carolinas, because it is almost hardy here in northern Michigan, especially if given a spot where snow stays on it all winter and it receives some protection between the passing of the snow and the coming of settled weather. I can imagine few lovelier wall coverings than rosemary planted at the top of a wall and allowed to drape naturally over the sunny surface. It is also said to be rarely out of at least a few sky-blue, labiate blooms.

Two genera, aubrieta and arabis. which are much used in the north for wall planting, should be even more useful in the south. Aubrieta is not half appreciated in America. That is true, perhaps, because it is

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not easy to keep over winter in heavy soil and further because its Mediterranean home makes it a problem in the coldest parts of the country. I had little trouble with it in a south wall, but it always suffered badly on the level during the alternate freezing and thawing of spring after the snow left. The forms used in gardens all seem to be varieties of the widespread, dwarf (two to six inches) A. deltoidea, merely varying in flower color from white, through pink to lilac, near-red and purple, and in hairiness of leaf. Propagation of named forms is best from cuttings, preferably of fresh growths rubbed off with a heel soon after flowering; if separate colors are not needed, seedage is to be preferred. The best arabis for the present purpose is the double-flowered form of A. albida, a plant of great value in many garden roles. Handle it like the next

I am sure the correspondent will make no mistake in using generous numbers of any aethionema that he can get, especially the ones with blue foliage. Varieties like Warley Rose have more distinctive flower color, but flowering lasts only a month or so, and then the rest of the year one has only their rather dull leafage; on the other hand, there are a number of species, including A. pulchellum and schistosum, with lovely glaucous leaves, which make excellent, yeararound wall ornaments. They are generally little shrubs of less than a foot, never spreading and always presentable. Seeds or cuttings are the means of propagation.

preceding item.

Several alyssums make good wall plants, but I should like to direct the correspondent's attention to my favorite of the lot—Alyssum spinosum roseum. Many alyssums are pests and some are merely dowdy, but I never saw anything in our present plant that was not praiseworthy. A bush to a foot in height, it is clothed in long-lanceolate, silvery bluish leaves and covers itself for a month or so in spring with pretty pinkish flowers. The varietal

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name roseum is scarcely justified by the pale pink color, but there is enough color in the flower to cause one to choose it above the white of the type. Coming from southern Europe and northern Africa, it is not always hardy this far north, except in the most protected spots, but should give no trouble south of the Ohio river. Unless my own experience with the plant is unusual, it would not pay to try to grow this alvssum from cuttings, because too few strike. If anyone has overcome its eccentricities, will he please share his knowledge with other American Nurseryman readers? Seeds are often unpredictable, though I sometimes had good results by sowing fresh seeds in July.

Several pinks should have the attention of every wall gardener. I hesitate to point out any as being the best, though one would not go far wrong if he selected Dianthus caesius (D. glaucus, I believe, is the name now preferred by botanists) or any of its varieties. This pink is among the best of all wall plants that I know, its lovely blue-gray foliage being a year-around ornament, and its long season of pleasingly fragrant, rose-pink flowers is one of the joys of the year. Add to the foregoing the fact that it is easy to please in any sunny, well-drained spot, as in a south, east or west wall, and one has what I call a first-class wall or crevice plant, especially when it is remembered that it calls for little in the way of upkeep, removal of the dead flowering stems being about all the care needed. Although more space has been used in this enumeration than I had intended, it should be added that any easily grown pink species that is not too stiff in its growth habits could well find a place in the wall. The foregoing do not cover all the material available for the purpose, but will give any wall plant enthusiast a start on a pleasant experience.

Viola Fletti

Those who have grown Viola adunca and given it the generous treatment that the eastern wood violets require have no doubt been disappointed by the ungainly, leggy habit of the former and will therefore be little interested in V. fletti when it is said that it is, speaking from the gardener's viewpoint, little more than a form of adunca. But wait until it is heard that it is a much-abbreviated form, and that may be more interesting. Even the type adunca is one of the better western violets when it is given a starvation diet; then it remains a restrained by

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by seedage. If seeds are abundantly available, they could be planted in early fall in an outdoor frame, protected from rodents; if seeds are limited, as they probably will be, it would no doubt be best to sow them in flats in late winter, freeze them for a month or so and then bring them into a cool house. After germination, the seedlings should be transferred to a frame and potted up singly when large enough to handle, perhaps in June. The pots should be kept in the

tuft of entire leaves, with deep blueviolet flowers always held well above the foliage. If V. fletti receives the same treatment, it becomes a real charmer.

V. adunca continues to be littleknown to gardeners, horticultural writers and even collectors. It is also probably scarce in nature, being restricted to parts of the Olympic mountains in Washington. McCully did not mention it at all in her "American Alpines in the Garden,"

able way to propagate the plant is

and most other writers on western plants have ignored it, too. Nursery catalogs are even more silent on the subject. I had it back in the 1930's from a collector, but as that source is, with the exception of seeds, now closed by a Washington state law, it would seem that the neighborhood nurseryman has an opportunity here which will not be taken away from him by the mass-production people.

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frame until the following spring. Give them a scree mixture at all times. Although I never tried to grow it from cuttings, I believe the plant could be handled from soft growths in midsummer in a shaded outdoor frame. As I remember now, though I do not find corroboration in my notes, the best growing medium I found was pure sand and leaf mold about half and half. Given that soil, moisture when needed and part shade, it should give little trouble in the east.

It should be added that beauty of leaf and flower is worth more than the little extra care needed to make the plant happy. The small leaves are a pretty shade of purple in their youthful stages, becoming green with purple veins with age, or bronzy when exposed to sunlight. They form little tufts, ornamental in themselves from spring until midsummer, or later, depending upon the weather, especially moisture, when they go to rest, as do so many western violets. During the first half of that period, or at least for a long time, these tufts support quantities of large (close to an inch across) flowers, rosy with a touch of blue in their make-up-a peculiar shade that is difficult to describe, but pleasing.

Lythrum Robert

The purple loosestrife, Lythrum salicaria, varied not a little in the wild; now that man has taken it in hand, it is really putting on a show, one of the latest that I have seen being variety Robert. Instead of the four feet which Morden Pink will make in rich soil with an abundance of moisture, Robert will rarely exceed 18 inches; yet it has the same long (June-to-September) flowering season of ordinary loosestrifes. And it has a most pleasing shade of pink (fuchsia-pink, according to color authorities). All salicaria forms are best in moist soil, of course, but they, including the present plant, do well in rich border soil, with some shade in the absence of constant moisture.

Oxalis Lobata

I doubt much if the western New York reader who asked about Oxalis lobata will find it of much value in his climate. Like most Chilean plants, except a few from the extreme southern part or from the high mountains, it is not hardy in northern Michigan. And, although it has a few charming traits, as will be pointed out later, I doubt if it would be worth the care in borderline cases where it would need special attention to bring it through the winter. At least that has been the experience of several

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gardeners to whom I have talked in the northern tier of states.

The plant has two periods of activity, one commencing in early spring, when it puts up a little tuft of bright green trefoils, an inch or two tall; then in autumn, it comes to life again with another showing of foliage, and this time it adds its floral display of pretty golden goblets. Between these two periods, there is a time of rest when it completely disappears.

Dianthus Pink Princess

Although I have not seen the new pink dianthus, Pink Princess, it comes with the backing of the United States Department of Agriculture horticultural field station at Cheyenne, Wyo., and flattering words from a couple of friends who have observed it. The latter tell me that it makes a sturdy tuft of typical pink foliage, quite healthy so far as their knowledge of the plant goes, and produces a prodigious number of pretty, fringed, deep pink flowers for a long time in spring, commencing in late April or early May, depending upon latitude and the spring season

NORTH CAROLINA CONVENTION

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The weed control program to date has included only a few species. However, it is the plan of the horticulture department to expand the list this year. It should be emphasized that these are only preliminary results and the treatments should be tried by nurserymen only on a small scale. It is believed that the foregoing treatments have promise on other species. If these materials are tried on other species, it would be best to treat only a few plants, since it is not yet certain whether or not the nursery plants themselves might be injured. Several of the chemicals named may cause injury as long as one year after treatment. Therefore,

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Mist Propagation

After lunch, Howard Ellis, extension specialist in agricultural engineering, U. N. C., led a discussion on irrigation equipment, especially for use in mist propagation. Mr. Ellis emphasized that water with questionable residues should be filtered to prevent clogging of nozzles and deterioration of pipes. Dr. J. B. Gart-ner, U. N. C., reported that many nurserymen have adopted the mist propagation system throughout the state. Results have been excellent. It is not uncommon to find close to 100 per cent rooting, disease-free plants and stronger root systems from mist propagation. The time of rooting has been drastically reduced, and propagation can be made safely throughout the year on many species of plants.

J. S. Howard, of Laurel Lake Nursery, Salemburg, is representative of the many nurserymen who have recently set up their own propagating systems. With mist equipment, he is propagating a large percentage of his stock, especially camellias. Mr. Howard's setup is unusual in that he is making use of a natural shade condition. His propagating beds are laid out under a grove of pines, insuring shade and wind protection. Sharp, clean sand is the propagating medium, and results are better than he ever anticipated. The cost of his operation has been offset by its convenience and success.

Insect Control

A progress report on new chemicals for insect control was given by H. E. Scott, extension specialist in entomology. He recommended a complete year-round spray program, to reduce damage from insects before it spreads beyond control. Sanitation in the nursery was another strong point in Mr. Scott's discussion. By following a regular spray program, he contended, and practicing good sanitation, many nurserymen could make substantial reductions in their insecticide bills. Mr. Scott finished his lecture with a group of slides showing insects as a refresher course in the identification of insects in the nursery.

John H. Harris, extension specialist in horticulture, gave a report on the new zoysia grasses currently being recommended for North Carolina. His discussion was emphasized by the use of slides taken in various sections of the state.

A "horse-trading" session and coffee hour rounded out the day's pro-

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gram. This "horse-trading" session proves more popular each year. It gives the nurserymen a chance to talk to each other, and considerable business is done at this session.

Monday night the annual banquet was held, with 72 nurserymen and friends present. Several items of interest to the association were presented after the banquet. It was decided that the annual nursery tour would be held June 16 to 19, 1957. The tour will be held after a convention and business meeting at the George Vanderbilt hotel at Asheville, June 16 and 17. The tour will leave Asheville June 17 and will return June 18. The program has not been completed, but part of the tour will be made through the picturesque Blue Ridge mountains.

Tuesday, January 8, the nurserymen considered the business of growing canned nursery stock. Dr. W. W. Rennie, product technologist of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Wilmington, Del., spoke on "The New Look in Nurseries." As an observer, Dr. Rennie was able to give an up-to-date report on the progress canned stock is making in the east and what the possibilities are for North Carolina nurserymen in this highly specialized nursery operation. Dr. Rennie emphasized the fact present growers of good nursery stock will probably grow good canned stock, but that poor producers will continue to produce poor container stock.

Dr. Rennie went on to note that in areas where container stock is being handled, it has met with excellent consumer demands. California, Florida, Texas and Michigan, to name a few, are doing a good job of producing and marketing container nursery stock. Many species of plants are best grown in containers, while many others can be easily adapted to containers. Container stock must be fertilized more often and have higher nitrogen levels. The soil must have good drainage and good aeration, with little or no compaction. Dr. Rennie advocated the use of mulches in winter and summer to prevent rapid losses of water and damage from cold and sunscald.

Dr. Dale Sweet, of the University of Georgia, concurred with Dr. Rennie in his assertion that growing nursery stock in containers is a science and no longer an experiment. Dr. Rennie finished his talk by showing slides of several large nurseries that have gone into container growing and are producing top-quality nursery stock.

Dr. Sweet concluded the morning

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program by telling about the research work under way at the university, with emphasis on container nursery stock.

A business meeting and election of officers was held after lunch. Main items of business were the summer nursery tour and convention and suggested changes in the constitution of the association.

LANDSCAPE CONFERENCE [Continued from page 10]

coming year. There is a strong trend toward higher-priced housing, he reported. About 91 per cent of the slump in home building this past year was in FHA and VHA fields. Builders should do better in 1957, believed Mr. Merrion, with the same or lower volume, for they will not overbuild and homes will be better financed. Home building will get off to a slow start in 1957, but will pick up later in the year, he predicted.

Mr. Merrion expressed the belief that if landscaping was properly priced it could compete with other things which go into a home. He made the suggestion that the N. L. N. A. form a committee to meet with the National Home Builders' Association to promote better relations. Also, articles can be submitted to the trade magazine read by the building trade.

In the early 1960's, he pointed out, a tremendous upsurge in home building is foreseen, due to war babies' becoming of marriageable age. Economists, he said, predict up to 2,000,000 units a year will need to be built to meet the demand.

Florida Report

A highlight of the evening program, after a buffet supper, was a talk by Gervin Pringle, Florida Nursery & Landscape Co., Leesburg, Fla., treasurer of the N. L. N. A. To illustrate how a trade association can grow, he told how the Florida Nurserymen and Growers Association started with 125 members four years ago, when it broke away from the Florida State Florists' Association. Today, he said, the group has 850 members. It includes 10 chapters; any group having 15 or more members can form a chapter and have one representative on the board of directors of the state association until it gains 51 members; then it may have two representatives. The nursery industry in Florida has grown, said Mr. Pringle, from \$4,-500,000 to \$55,000,000 in 10 years.

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lated that 2,000 families are moving into Florida every week of the year. Currently there are 4,200 registered nurseries of all types, including citrus growers, in Florida. So, he said, there is much competition in the state.

To attract business, his nursery mails out to 31,000 homeowners a 4-page mailing piece in color, containing much helpful planting information. This figure is being reduced to 11,000, he said, and the mailing will be made each month. The mailing pieces cost 10 or 11 cents for composition, printing and postage. More than 7,000 requests for an inexpensive cardboard binder for back issues show the nursery that the circulars are being saved.

Education Program

Mr. Pringle referred to an adult education program planned by the nursery during February, March and April last year. An average of 100 persons attended the 16 weeks' course, full time. The course met on Friday night, for two hours. Requests were received to produce the school in seven other areas. Personnel from the University of Florida and the county agent's staff were used to help provide the course. Mr. Pringle reported that the session taught people that there is a professional atmosphere about the land-scape business.

In Florida there is the problem of people's retiring from the north and settling in \$11,000 to \$17,000 homes. They do not have much left for land-scaping. There are many good banks in the area which will finance planting, he said. Another headache is the variation of soils in the area. In newer developments, the bull-dozer is a problem, for it pushes down trees with no idea of saving them for the landscape.

In response to a question, Mr. Pringle related that the Florida Landscape & Nursery Co. was started in 1928 on a lot 80x125 feet, and all stock was purchased. Today it includes 225 acres of stock and employs 100 to 125 persons.

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PENINSULA CHAPTER

Members of the Peninsula chapter, California Association of Nurserymen, heard a panel discussion on roses and fruit trees at their January meeting, held at the Brentwood lodge, in South San Francisco. Clyde Stocking, American Association of Nurserymen president, and George Haight, general manager of Western Roses, Inc., San Jose, took over the rose panel, while Kenneth Hartman, of Leonard Coates Nurseries, Inc., San Jose, and Charles J. Burr, of California Garden Supply Co., Palo Alto, discussed fruit trees.

George Haight opened the discussion with a brief resume of nursery rose culture, telling his audience of some of the modern methods, such as the use of a paper mulch laid down at the time cuttings are planted to prevent weed growth and the use of airplane dusting to control pests and diseases. He pointed out the necessity of ingenuity in cutting production expense to balance rising costs of land and help. Clyde Stocking, president of Western Roses, Inc., San Jose, made many suggestions toward better rose merchandising and urged salesmen to inform themselves of the exact colors of the roses they are selling, the ultimate size of rose varieties and their proper arrangement for the best effect in the garden. Assistance to the customer in selection of varieties best adapted to his climate is exceedingly importtant. The retail nurseryman need not stock scores of varieties, but only those promising a reasonable degree of success to the customers in his area. All these points are important if the nurseryman expects to obtain repeat business, asserted Mr. Stocking.

Kenneth Hartman told how fruit trees are grown and demonstrated the proper method of pruning for planting as single trees and for multiple planting (three or four varieties of the same kind of fruit in the same hole). The latter system is gaining popularity where back-yard planting space is limited.

Charles Burr then gave members a few pointers on merchandising fruit trees. He noted the several kinds of trees available for any size of garden—the regular home orchard

tree, the dwarf fruit tree and the combination tree. It is important to select the type of tree suitable for the customer's planting situation. In the bay area many gardens are located in lowlands where drainage is imperfect. He recommended apples and pears for these damp soils and suggested that plantings of cherries, almonds and peaches be avoided except where drainage is good. Tie-in sales of peat moss, fertilizer, soil conditioners and spray materials were recommended not only for the nurseryman's benefit, but for the customer's satisfaction as well.

John Coulter, president, displayed some of the novelty citrus varieties harvested from dwarf trees in his garden, including the Robertson navel orange, Owari Satsuma orange, Rangpur lime and Meyer lemon. Secretary Charles Zeek, Ferry-Morse Co., Mountain View, announced the February meeting will be held at

Los Altos at the Old Plantation, the program to be arranged by William Schoenfeld, Germain's, San Jose. Mr. Zeek distributed the association's new 4-color baked-enamel signs previously ordered by most of the members.

C. J. B.

KERN COUNTY CHAPTER

The January 8 meeting of the Kern County chapter, California Association of Nurserymen, was held at the Rancho Bakersfield, Bakersfield. President Joseph Ono, Evergreen Nurseries, Bakersfield, called the meeting to order. After the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, Treasurer Ruth Hahn, Eley's Gardens, Bakersfield, reported a profit to the chapter of \$25 on its highly successful and enjoyable Christmas party, which was held at her home in December.

A new budget was presented by the financial committee and passed. Additional funds will permit the chapter's participation in group advertising to educate the public to the advantages of higher quality of stock and better service and more courteous attention offered by association members.

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Melva Davis, Sec'y.

SAN JOAQUIN CHAPTER

The December meeting of the San Joaquin chapter, California Association of Nurserymen, was held at the Desert Inn, Fresno.

Business was dispensed with, and the gaiety of the season prevailed. Gifts and prizes were distributed.

It was learned that the chapter's vice-president, Watt Keister, Germain's, Inc., Fresno, had received a promotion and will be transferred to the company's home office at Los Angeles. The chapter's best wishes were extended to him.

M. E. Gardner, Sec'v.

CENTRAL CHAPTER

Presentation of 25 Japanese weeping flowering cherry trees to the city of Oakland, Calif., marked the January meeting of the Central chapter, California Association of Nurserymen.

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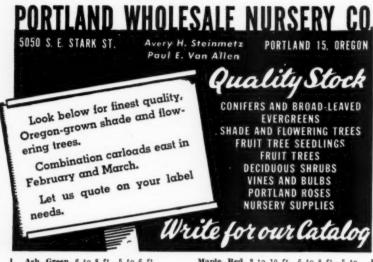
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The festival is a project to ring Lake Merrit with flowering trees Also taking part in the presentation were Oakland's Mayor Rishell; J. Vendes Mann, chairman of the board of park commissioners, and William Penn Mott, superintendent of parks for the city.

Larry C. Basker, Sec'y.

SARATOGA DIRECTOR

Maunsell Van Rensselaer and his work as director of the Saratoga Horticultural Foundation, Saratoga, Calif., were the subjects of a recent feature article in a local newspaper.

The foundation was created in 1951 by Ray D. Hartman, president and manager of the Leonard Coates Nurseries, Inc., San Jose, Calif., and Mr. Van Rensselaer, director for 16 years of the Santa Barbara Botanic Garden. Established on eight acres of land donated by Mr. and Mrs. Hartman, the foundation is a nonprofit horticultural research center supported by private grants and by the sale of plant stock to nurseries. Its purpose is the improvement of shade trees and native California shrubs for ornamental use in the west coast

Mr. Van Rensselaer's special interests at the foundation are the ginkgo and other highly colored trees. Noted for its introduction of the autumn gold ginkgo, the foundation is currently conducting experiments on the liquidambar tree.

TIMES TO REMEMBER

Elmer Merz, executive secretary of the California Association of Nurserymen, in the January issue of the association's bulletin calls to the attention of members the fact that the period February 12 to 22 has been declared an annual tree-planting week in the state. March 7 is the regular date of Arbor day in California. C. A. N. members are reminded by the secretary to make plans for the observance of both the planting times. March 7 marks the anniversary of the birth of Luther Burbank.

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MT. SHASTA—light pink to white.
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H. A. Marks; W. R. Schoenfeld, Jr., and Justin Scharf are vice-presidents of the seed and garden supply company, and Jeanne Court is secretary-treasurer.

OREGON GROUP ELECTS

Newly elected officers of the Rogue Valley (Ore.) Nurserymen and Growers Association are Kenneth Meadows, Crater Greenhouse, president; Pauly Bright, Rogue Valley Greenhouse & Florist, vice-president; J. Vernon Marshall, Marshall Nursery, secretary-treasurer and business agent, and Ruth Walden, Walden





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OREGON NOTES

The Oregon Farm and Market Outlook, December isue, summarized the holly outlook for the 1956 Christmas season and then forecast things to come for that industry. The article stated that there appeared to be considerable room for expansion for both holly markets and holly production. One factor leading to this optimistic viewpoint, according to the article, was the fact that a new firm has entered the holly-marketing picture on a national scale. The article went on to say that growers and others should not expect any revolutionary change in marketing or prices.

Allen Davis, manager of the retail store of the Portland Seed Co. and well known in nurserymen's circles, retired, January 1, and will now devote his entire time to his

hobby of growing bulbs.

John G. Bacher, an honorary member of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen, was given another in the long list of honors he has received at the last meeting of the Oregon Orchid Society when he was presented with a lifetime membership in that organization and a commemorative plaque. Mr. Bacher, father of Mrs. Martha Walker, Holgate Nursery, was also the recipient a few years ago of the Johnny Appleseed award.

W. P. Nuffer, Portland Wholesale Nursery Co., and chairman of the bylaws committee for the Oregon Association of Nurserymen, placed in the mails recently the proposed changes which must be adopted at the O. A. N. convention to make it possible for the association to organize chapters throughout the C. H. P. state.

JOSEPH GRIMSHAW has filed an application to expand his nursery at Niles, Calif.

MARKING their 40th anniversary, the L. E. Ingoldsby Nurseries, Lindsay, Calif., held open house in December to exhibit their recently remodeled establishment.

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By Bert A. Bertolero

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The buildings should be of ranchstyle design, low rambling structures with large shake-covered porches and large doors. They should be landscaped with plenty of color. The in-teriors should have a cool look. They may be finished in wood paneling with a white glaze and lacquer that will not turn yellow; American cedar is good and is not so expensive as knotty pine. The shelving should be graduated 22 inches at the floor level to 14 inches at the top level and should be well lighted. Price strippings of aluminum with large numbers are important, as well as having each item on the shelf priced. Counters should be planned so they serve as salesmen, placed strategically and displaying the merchandise so that it makes that extra tie-in sale that means more profit.

The doors leading from the store into the nursery area should be large and plentiful. Sliding doors have many advantages. They slide out of sight, and children do not play with them; and in the suburban areas there are many children. Sliding doors do not absorb valuable space that could be used for display and in the wintertime can be left slightly open without loss of heat from the store. Radiant heating has proved quite successful.

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EVERGREENS	Bluespire Arborvitae Goldcone Arborvitae
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bare-root	Hetz Juniper
(Armstrong), 6 to 8-in. bands	Hetz Juniper 20 Irish Juniper 1414 Kiyono Juniper
bare-root Dwarf Pfitzer (nana) Juniper (Armstrong), 6 to 8-in. bands Pfitzer Juniper, 6 to 8-in. bands Pfitzer Juniper, 8 to 10-in. bands 'Savin Juniper, 6 to 10 ins. bare-root. Von Ehron Juniper, 8 to 10 ins.	144 Kiyono Juniper 20 Procumbens Juniper 66 Sylvestris Juniper Vase-shape Juniper Corputa Holly
Savin Juniper, 6 to 10 ins., bare-root.	.06 Sylvestris Juniper
Von Ehron Juniper, 8 to 10 ins.,	Vase-shape Juniper
Berckmans' Golden Arb., 5 to 6-in.	.06 Cornuta Holly
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Anderson's Yew (spreading), 4 to 6 ins., bare-root	Ilex crenata bullata Yaupon Holly (cuttings)
6 ins., bare-root	
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Blue Spiraea (Caryopteris), 8 to 12	Euonymus pictus Florida Jasmine Parker's Jasmine
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Carrol M. Shanks, president, the Prudential Insurance Co. of America, was chairman of the jury of awards, other judges being Dr. Joseph E. Howland, assistant to the president, O. M. Scott Seed Co., Marysville, O.; Joseph F. Roesch, senior instructor in landscape design, Long Island Agricultural and Technical Institute, Farmingdale, L. I., N. Y., and Arthur Murphy, senior landscape architect, New York city department of parks. The awards are given in "recognition of achievement in industrial landscaping and beautification contributing to employee and civic pride in our American heritage" and are based on nation-wide competition. The awards will be presented early this year.

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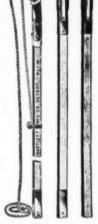
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COUNTRY FAIR FORUM

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counts were responsible for an increase in sales volume, and some stated that they would open a charge account for anyone. A warning was made to the group that charge accounts extended over 90 days from the date of sale diminished the profit of the sale considerably.

Labor Charges

Costs of planting figures given showed a variance of 30 to 150 per cent, depending on the size of the job, materials involved, time of year and sundry other reasons. Labor mark-up varied from 100 to 150 percent. Mr. White explained that when a regular customer required one of his employees for a job a specific cost is determined beforehand, with a minimum set at \$12.50 for one man in one truck for one hour.

To offset any complaints about additional labor charges for maintenance or original planting jobs, one nurseryman suggested that the bill read "plantsmen" at so much per hour, rather than "labor" at so much per hour. It was generally agreed that all customers should be charged the same price for labor involved in a job. Most of the nurserymen at the panel discussion stated they would raise labor and planting prices this year, to help offset their increased overhead.

Practices in handling delivery charges were varied, but all persons present agreed that there should be a delivery charge. One retailer makes deliveries and charges a fixed cost per mile; another charges \$1 for small items, which are delivered on specific days, with sales in excess of \$25 being delivered free of charge in the country; several deliver nothing under \$15; a large number offer free delivery, with anticipated delivery cost figured into the selling price of the item or items. It was pointed out by several in the group that this last-named practice short

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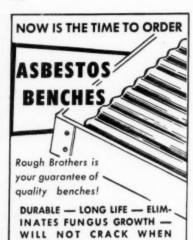
Special treatment with herbicides can be of value in supplementing normal soil preparation and cultivation practices. Herbicides can be used with good results on seedling weeds in fall and early winter when plants are dormant. Injury to nursery stock is much less likely then than during the spring and summer when young foliage is present after bud break. Young growth is particularly susceptible to injury, just as young weed seedlings are easily killed while large, mature weeds require more drastic

Weed populations can be reduced prior to planting nursery stock by careful soil preparation, to insure good physical condition; fertility, and a sequence of diskings as young seedlings develop. Crop rotations to include a year of hoe cropping prior to planting was noted as a practical procedure in cleaning up such perennial weeds as artemisia, quackgrass and others.

Soil Fumigation

The use of auxiliary procedures for seedbeds, potting soil and, in some cases, for large areas of outdoor beds includes soil fumigation. Dowfume is popular for this purpose, though steam is used for potting soil and container soil. Soil temperatures are critical for successful use of these procedures. Dowfume and other soil sterilants need to be used on loose, open soil when the temperature is 60 degrees or more, for best results. The placing of airtight frames or tarpaulins is also essential to contain the Dowfume for the required period of fumigation. Planting can be done after a week or more of aeration.

Cases were reported of full sterilization followed by protection of the soil with polythylene or other cover during the winter so that the soil could be planted early in spring. The cover kept out weeds and contact with rubbish or equipment that would reinoculate the soil with weed seeds, disease or nematodes. A cost



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of \$25 for sterilization of a seedbed 12x150 feet was cited by one grower.

After nursery crops are planted, clean cultivation is desirable. This may be supplemented by the use of herbicides in low amounts and specific types for control of seedling weeds. Crag Herbicide-1 was noted, also granular formulations of CIPC or chloro IPC. These formulations are relatively new to the nursery industry. The particles and granules carrying the weed killer fall off the foliage and lie on the soil where their full effect in weed control can take place. Present source of gran-ular CIPC is Niagara Chemical Division, Food Machinery & Chemical Corp., Middleport, N. Y. Many other herbicides are being prepared in granular form.

Nursery stock that is to remain in place over winter or for several years presents a major problem, since perennial weeds easily become established. Fall treatment while plants are dormant becomes of first importance. Treatments can be made from late September till bud break in spring.

Questions arose concerning spring cleanup of the nursery and control of difficult weeds. Dinitro and CIPC were both reported useful in taxus and other dormant woody ornamentals. Rates of two gallons of dinitro (DNBP) to 100 gallons of spray per acre, or two to three gallons of CIPC to 100 gallons of water were reported successful in clearing an acre of stock at a cost of \$50, as compared to several hundred dollars for a comparable job by conventional methods.

Amino Triazole

Control of artemisia in taxus was reported, using 16 pounds of commercial preparation of amino triazol or eight to 12 pounds of active ingredient per acre. The spray can be confined to the soil usually cleared by hand hoeing. Thus the amount of chemical (16 pounds per 100 gallons of spray mix) would clean up from one to three acres of nursery stock. An alternate procedure noted was the removal of nursery stock and subsequent plowing and cultivation to clean up the soil.

Amino triazole in amounts as low as one pound of active or two pounds of commercial formulation per acre has given excellent control of normal ground coverlike infestations of poison ivy. Larger, mature plants require several times this amount, as well as careful spraying, to bring about complete coverage.

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perimentally in a variety of nursery stock. Junipers in late summer growth turn yellow, as do arborvitae and chamaecyparis. This result also applies to young growth from buds and foliage of shrubs with soft buds and tissue. Maple, apple, oak, ash and other trees of 2-inch trunk diameter have not shown more than light, temporary response.

Injuries Cited

Nurservmen cited cases of injury to nursery stock from several herbicides. The cases included calcium cvanamid used among azaleas for fertilizer purposes. The foliage showed discoloration and marginal killing. Crag Herbicide-1 failed to control weeds in wet weather, and CIPC injured young growth from soft buds of Viburnum lantana and others. CIPC used in summer on newly set taxus caused injury when spray was used over the plants.

Phlox iberis, myosotis and echinops were injured by granular CIPC under summer growth conditions, but roses and chrysanthemums were uninjured by summer treatments with granular CIPC in amounts great enough (eight to 12 pounds of active chemical per acre) to effect excellent weed control over a period of several months. Longer residual action is found in cool weather, when volatilization of the CIPC is greatly reduced over that existing after summer sprays.

Grower experience again indicated that herbicides are being used in the nursery with success. Many growers want more specific information on the amounts of and types of weed killer for use on specific crops. Recent acceptance of fall and winter to early spring weed-control practices will likely lead to more effective use of herbicides under conditions of minimized risk. During the summer, cultivation is by far the safest procedure

Collecting Accounts

In the discussion on collecting retail accounts, the group decided that a collection system must be devised to meet the individual nursery, its particular problems and type of retail customs and agreed that persistence is the key. Close attention should be given to past-due accounts and regular follow-up should be made.

Mr. MacRobbie presented the collection sequence used by the Oak Park Nurseries, which included the invoice, which is prepared when the order is filled. The first statement is mailed the first of the month for orders filled during the first 15 days of the preceding month. If the bill



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is not paid, a collection letter is mailed two weeks after the first statement. A second statement is mailed the first of the following month, rubber-stamped with a reminder of the overdue bill. This is followed by a second collection letter. If the debt is still outstanding a week after the second letter, a telephone call is made to the customer.

The collection letters are in the form of reminders, rather than threats. A detailed account on collection action on overdue accounts is maintained by one person at the nursery, including the invoice dates, amount of invoice, dates the first and second collection letters were mailed and comments. Under this system, the losses of the nursery on retail accounts total less than 1 per cent.

Advertising

A coordinated advertising campaign or a series of advertisements is needed, began Howard Taylor in his discussion on advertising methods and budgets. Consistency is needed; special editions in which a nurseryman has an advertisement once a year are no good.

In order to plan a campaign in a newspaper or a magazine it is necessary to set up a budget. It should not be greatly deviated from in a given season. The percentage of gross sales to set aside for the advertising budget should not exceed 6 per cent, probably, said Mr. Taylor; 5 per cent should be the goal.

A nursery firm should advertise the year around, believed Mr. Taylor. In the off-season, the direct-mail approach can be used, employing inexpensive cards and pamphlets. The direct-mail list is important, being composed of all customers' and prospective customers' names obtained from building report lists.

Mr. Taylor showed a copy of the catalog his firm employs. Being about half in color and half in black and white, the catalog costs about 50 cents to produce. Last year 16,000 copies were mailed in early spring. The catalog contains prices, is a prestige builder and boosts spring sales.

A nurseryman in the group believed more mailings of a smaller piece would be more effective. He believed that quoting prices in the catalog could be replaced by sending out a separate price list.

Mr. Taylor read a possible advertising budget for a retail salesyard with landscaping service. It designated 50 per cent for newspaper advertising, 27 per cent for direct mail. 17 per cent for radio and television, 1.5 per cent for reminder advertising

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In order to test any type of advertising, one should go through one full season. If an advertisement pulls well one season it is usually best to repeat it, believed Mr. Taylor. He thought it effective to use prices in an advertisement in order to build up trust and establish the nursery as a 1-price concern. Every plant should be labeled carefully in the nursery and be dug before sale. It is a big mistake to let customers go into the field to select stock.

Metropolitan Papers Used

Mr. Taylor has found New York newspapers effective for advertising, even though his nursery is interested in only 15 per cent of the circulation list. He has found weekly newspapers effective, for while they contain gossip, they are read avidly. There are cut-rate prices in metropolitan newspapers, said Mr. Taylor, but this should not be feared. The higher price will make a firm's name stand out and people will realize quality stock is being offered.

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be hardy. The foremost thing is to draw people to the nursery through newspaper advertising.

A slogan or trade-mark should be carried in all advertising. The Rosedale Nurseries' leaf is repeated in all advertising, on truck signs and on wrapping paper. To this Mr. Taylor added that it is good to have signs repainted every year.

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cent of sales, the nurseryman is on firm ground, said Mr. Taylor. It is difficult to check on customer credit, but this year he is having all chargeaccount customers fill out a form, although the references will not be checked in most cases. This, he believes, will encourage better accounts.

Discussion Session

About 45 persons gathered for the bull session—so called because any nursery problem may be brought up for discussion.

To start the ball rolling, Mr. Costich set forth his responsibilities at Hicks Nurseries, namely, management of the retail cash-and-carry stand, although that task does not preclude handling charge accounts. In fact, about 60 per cent of the business of the cash-and-carry stand is admittedly charge business.

It was suggested that sales could be increased by: 1. Having welltrained personnel developed by a sales-training program in the firm. 2. Keeping salesgrounds clean, neat, attractive and well-stocked at all times. 3. Keeping good sales records as a guide for future buying. 4. Keeping down the diversity of chemicals and garden supplies and concentrating on one good line. 5. Pushing tie-in sales; e.g., selling not only the plant but the fertilizer and appropriate insecticide to keep the plant healthy. 6. Offering new plant materials. 7. Stimulating greater sales effort by some type of incentive program.

The inevitable discussion of guarantees disclosed the fact that guarantees ran from none to full replacement. It was thought by some that "adjustment" is a better approach than "guarantee." It was agreed that it is more important to have a company policy and adhere to it than to have a guarantee. However, it was also agreed that there are always exceptions in the interest of good customer relations.

To obtain an adjustment it is felt necessary for the customer to return the dead plant and to have paid for the merchandise within a 30-day period.

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procedure to follow in seeking help from the counsel or registering complaints with the commission were printed in a recent A. A. N. newsletter.

Mr. Lauden also told of the market development and promotion program covering roadside development and industrial landscaping; both

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efforts have been making steady progress. He also referred to the merchandising and sales bulletins.

Income tax reporting as it affects nurserymen was reviewed by Mr. Lauden. The outcome of the confused situation is dependent upon what is written into the new rules and regulations under the revised code. The A. A. N. has made further representations, and a decision by the internal revenue service should be available soon.

Of interest, also, to members was his report on the federal housing situation. Mr. Lauden said that the new minimum property requirements are much improved over the old ones insofar as landscaping is concerned, but they still leave much to the discretion of the local authorities.

Mr. Lauden urged Oklahoma nurserymen to learn what kind of plant materials will be needed in highway beautification programs that will be carried out in Oklahoma during 1957, when the state will be celebrating its 50th anniversary, then be sure to have these plants ready for the demand. Plants that are known to thrive in the locality and flowers that will give a riot of color along roadsides and in home flower gardens will be sought as Oklahomans get into the swing of this important celebration, he said.

He reported that the A. A. N. convention for 1957 will be held at the Fontainebleau hotel, Miami Beach, Fla., next summer.

The use of Vapam as a soil sterilant was explained by Eldon Cleveland, of the Stauffer Chemical Corp., New York city, N. Y. Colored slides illustrated the advantages of Vapam on various plots.

At midafternoon Thursday there was a question-and-answer period regarding the wage and hour law as it applies to nurserymen. On hand to answer questions was Robert D. Snyder, representative of the wage and hour division of the United States Department of Labor. At the conclusion of this session, the group adjourned for the afternoon.

Climaxing the entertainment features of the convention were the banquet and dance Thursday evening. A master of ceremonies kept things moving in a lively fashion by instituting several stunts and contests. Corsages for all ladies at the banquet and dance were made and donated by Mrs. Ezra Porter, of the Porter Flower Shop & Nursery, Oklahoma City. Special prizes were won by Mrs. W. E. Rey, Oklahoma City, and Wayne Haven, of Higdon's Nursery & Flower Shop, Oklahoma City.

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man, W. E. Rey, of Rey's Nursery, was named nurseryman of the year and was presented the silver trophy in recognition of outstanding services in behalf of the nursery industry in Oklahoma. Mr. Rev. now 82 is still active in the business he founded 50 years ago. In business with him is his son, Bruce Rev. War. ren Welch, chairman of the awards committee, made the presentation to Mr. Rev at the banquet Thursday evening.

Friday Session

The first session Friday was opened with a talk by Ward Hoskinson, of the federal housing administration office at Oklahoma City. Mr. Hoskinson explained that title 1 refers to a loan issued by the FHA for property improvement. Under the revisions of August 9, 1956, grading and landscaping have become work eligible for loans.

Graduates of the horticulture department of Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, held a meeting Friday morning.

One of the most interesting talks programed was that of Jack Jones, Southwest Landscape Co., Dallas, Tex., "Progressive Publicity." Some of the means Mr. Jones listed as being useful in bringing about good publicity were the following: Flower show booths; advertising that ties in with news items and holds the attention of readers; speaking before P. T. A. and civic groups; use of planting slogans in newspapers, such as "Small trees key to home success" or "It pays to plant"; radio and TV talks on planting; instituting the practice of planting a heritage tree for a newborn child; giving a colorful property landscape map; uniting in a cooperative trade newspaper ad. and cooperating with garden centers.

Business Meeting

The business meeting, held this year just before adjournment and presided over by President Gene Fleming, took more time than usual. due to the amount of business on the agenda.

It had been apparent to members for some time that a revision of the constitution and bylaws should be made. Consequently a committee had been appointed under the chairmanship of Bruce Rev to make a new set of bylaws and write a new constitution. This they had done and the results were read at the business meeting by Mr. Rey. The various articles were discussed, and suggestions were heard. At the close of the meeting, the revised drafts were unanimously adopted, and thanks

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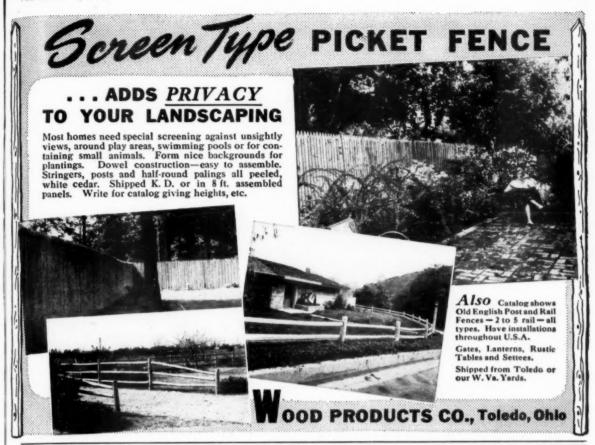
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were extended to Mr. Rey and his committee for their work.

Provision was made this year to pay a salary to the present secretarytreasurer, who gave valuable assistance the past year in organizational work. The sum voted was \$600 per year, plus traveling expenses.

Election of officers, as already given, concluded the program.

BAILEY MUSEUM PLANS

Members of the Liberty Hyde Bailey park board of South Haven, Mich., are implementing plans to landscape the birthplace of the famous horticulturist and its grounds, now open to the public as a South Haven museum and park.

A landscape design prepared by L. David Conklin, Municipal Foresters, Holland, Mich., has been adopted by the board, which hopes to complete the project by spring.

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Kentucky bluegrass is still the best lawn for Iowa. Merion bluegrass is an excellent grass, but has been troubled with rust during dry seasons in the test plots at Ames. Alta fescue and Kentucky 31 are good for use on athletic fields.

For average conditions, Professor Lantz stated, a grass mix should have at least 50 per cent bluegrass, preferably 70 per cent. The balance up to 90 per cent should be fescue. Rye, germinating in five days, is a good nurse grass, while the bluegrass germinates in 21 to 28 days.

Two new grasses, Arboretum and Minnesota 95, are doing well in the Iowa State College test plots.

Clyde Heard, of Heard's Landscape Nurseries, Des Moines, described the historical progress of lilac culture and pointed out the qualities of better lilacs. A few of the many recommended by Mr. Heard included varieties of villosa and chinensis-Adelaide Dunbar, Charm, Edith Cavell, Etna, Lucie Baltet, Ludwig Spaeth, Marie Finon and President Lincoln.

Chelated Iron

"Chelated Iron for Chlorosis" was the subject of a talk by R. L. Warden, representative of the Dow Chemical Co. Mr. Warden explained how chlorosis often occurs in alkaline soils. Most soils have plenty of iron, but the problem is to make it available. This is solved by the use of chelates which hold the iron in a soluble form. A molecule of chelate and iron remains stable until it reaches the leaf, where it breaks down, releasing the iron. Mr. Warden recommended the application of 10 to 30 pounds of chelate per acre. This will provide from one to four pounds of actual iron per acre. The best method is to apply the chelate directly to the soil.

Some of the plants susceptible to chlorosis which may be treated with chelated iron are: Many of the rose family of plants, pin oaks, azaleas, rhododendrons, turf and farm crops such as corn, flax and sovbeans.

After the noon luncheon, Robert I. Scannell, landscape engineer for the Iowa state highway commission. discussed "Iowa's Roadside Program." The program in Iowa is divided into the three phases of roadside parks, erosion control and roadside planting. Iowa has 104 roadside parks, nine of which are historical markers. These parks are

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R. L. Stetson, of the Iowa Concrete Block & Materials Co., followed with a talk entitled "Stone Facts for Landscape Use." Mr. Stetson became interested in the use of Lannon stone for dry wall construction as a hobby many years ago. The hobby has developed into a large segment of his business. He described the problems encountered in building walls which are both pleasing in appearance and sturdy in construc-

"The Landscape Garden Center" was the subject of a talk by John J. Pinney, Willis Nursery Co., Ottawa, GEND FOR YOUR NEW CULLY ILLUSTRATED CATALOG

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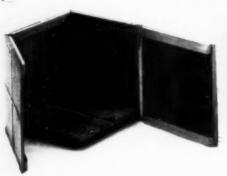
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Mr. Pinney cautioned against overdoing the accessory materials. All merchandise should be slanted toward the nursery business.

Good planning is of prime importance. The failures in garden centers are usually due to poor planning. The best location is on the "going home" side of the road. Plenty of parking space is an absolute necessity. Mr. Pinney advised estimating parking needs and then doubling the figure. Placing the long axis of buildings parallel to the highway usually provides more parking area and creates a more impressive approach. In all respects, the garden center should be planned for the convenience of the customer.

The talk concluded with several colored slides of successfully planned garden centers.

Prof. John R. Fitzsimmons, head of the department of landscape architecture, closed the meeting with a few remarks on the enrollment and educational program at Iowa State College. Enrollment is increasing steadily, but many more qualified students are needed to meet the heavy demand for landscape architects.

MARYLAND MEETING

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rear of the border to small plants in the foreground. It is possible, he said, to get geraniums five or six feet tall.

Dr. Marth illustrated his talk with colored slides and had treated and untreated plants on display for comparison purposes.

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Dr. Lee J. Enright, department of horticulture, University of Maryland, reported that as an alternative for the Maryland Nurservmen's Association's establishment of a research fellowship, several possibilities could be considered: The association could finance the preparation of an inexpensive brochure to be sent to interested high school seniors, listing opportunities in the field of horticulture: financial help could be given to one or more entering worthwhile freshman horticulture students, or an award could be given to an outstanding senior graduating in the field of horticulture.

Dues Increased

Carl Orndorff, chairman of the membership committee, reported on the need for increasing the association's annual dues. The association's overhead has gone up just like that of every nurseryman. Emergencies arise, and usually it is the same few individuals who contribute. These emergencies are a load that all should bear. A paid secretary is inevitable. After a careful survey of the various methods to be used in increasing the funds in the treasury, Mr. Orndorff said he was satisfied that increasing dues is the simplest and most painless method of all. After a discussion from the floor, the association voted to increase the yearly dues to \$15.

John H. Burton, J. H. Burton & Sons, Inc., Hyattsville, was toastmaster at the annual luncheon and introduced the guests at the head table. C. Warner Price introduced the visiting nurserymen and trade representatives. G. Hale Harrison, Harrisons' Nurseries, Berlin, 1947 association president, presented the Maryland Nurserymen's Association's 1956 award for professional achievement to L. G. Tingle, Tingle Nursery Co., Pittsville.

Farm Bureau Speaker

Wilson H. Heaps, a director of the national farm bureau and past president of the Maryland farm bureau, Street, Md., in the luncheon address expressed his appreciation for the cooperation of the Maryland nurserymen and especially of the executive secretary, Paul S. Hofmann. The farm bureau, he said, is simply a self-help group of farmers working cooperatively to aid agricultural endeavors. He urged the nurserymen to support their own organization first,

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After the luncheon, D. L. Lewis, Shell Chemical Corp., New York city, N. Y., showed a sound color motion picture, "The Rival World." The film dramatically depicted the ravages of insects against man and plants throughout the world and the vital need for keeping them well under control.

Landscaping Today

Edward L. Stock, Jr., Stock Bros., Inc., Bethesda, moderated an informal panel discussion on "Landscaping in Today's Suburban Areas." The large estates with their paid gardeners are a thing of the past. Today our city outskirts are covered largely with suburbs housing many who are transients, living there perhaps, five years before moving elsewhere. Are nurserymen giving these people the services and plants they want?, Mr. Stock asked in his opening remarks.

Gordon Kennedy, a Washington, D. C., landscape designer and builder, remarked that a builder's first concern is to make money. The past decade witnessed a great change in building methods. Formerly the need was for custom building; now the trend is to large housing developments and prefabricated houses. Whatever builders may do, however, Mr. Kennedy related, there will always be a need for plants. This gives nurserymen an advantage that the builder does not have.

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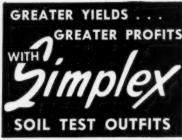
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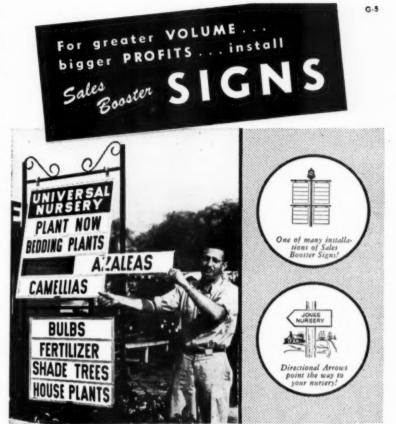
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This season red pine sales were down and there was an upward surge in use of and demand for well-trimmed white pines for Christmas trees, said Mr. Abercrombie. He believed no matter how carefully trees are trimmed, they are never so good, the second and third years, as the first-year selections.

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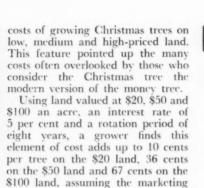
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John Holwager classified the various evergreens used as Christmas trees in the following order of popularity: Scotch pine, white pine (dual purpose), Austrian pine, red pine, jack and Virginia pines, Norway spruce and balsam fir.

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of 1,000 trees per acre. Author's Note: There was much interest manifested in flocking, which is not well understood by growers. In the Chicago area the Christmas season saw a veritable avalanche of flocked trees. Florists bought these flocked trees, from 30 to 50 at a time and the awkwardness of delivery was solved by using an enclosed van.

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Dr. Stoutemyer concluded his talk by telling of a new and separate operation in the nursery trade, the specimen plant nursery, that has grown out of the container-grown plant development of recent years. These specimen plant nurseries. nurseries especially popular with landscape architects, grow plants in containers to larger sizes by transplanting from can to can. They specialize not only in large specimen stock, but also in specialty items, such as espalier and multi-trunk trees. For larger containers, the 15-gallon lard can, the 30-gallon carbide drum, butter tubs, halves of 50-gallon barrels or specially constructed boxes are

With his colored slides, Dr. Stoutemyer toured the can preparation, potting and soil preparation and sales operations of several of the larger

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Nursery Merchandising

George Rose, vice-president of the Henry Field Seed & Nursery Co., Shenandoah, Ia., spoke next on "Merchandising Methods Applying to the Nursery Industry." Basing his contention on the facts that the whole country is merchandising mad and that our expanding industries and our high standard of living are largely due to advanced merchandising methods, Mr. Rose advised the convention that nursery merchandising has been far in arrears, with the possible exception of methods used by the growers of patented roses.

Explaining why nurserymen do not create great volume sales for themselves, he advanced the theory that most nurserymen are plantlovers first and businessmen second -often poor businessmen. The nursery industry is the only one in which the prices are guessed at instead of being based on production costs. Most nursery prices are set on the basis of a competitor's prices, which leads to selling by price alone rather than selling the item. Most good merchandising done in other fields is aimed at selling the beauty or utility of an object first and the price last.

As suggestions for improvement in nursery merchandising, Mr. Rose mentioned the development of attractive packaging with bright pictures to replace ugly, dormant plants in dull wrappers, and the use of costaccounting methods to find items that are not paying and how to expedite lines with high profit. He noted, however, that attractive wrappings are not the ultimate in nursery merchandising and asserted that all nursery stock may eventually be sold in containers, as this seems to be the most efficient and appealing method of presenting stock to the public. Mail-order houses may be forced to adapt to this new idea by developing lightweight containers with a lightweight medium. The ultimate sale in the nursery, he stated, may be a plant grown in a small to medium lightweight container, the entire unit to be planted when purchased.

Panel Discussions

Mr. Rose then acted as moderator of a panel discussion on nursery merchandising. The panel consisted of the following: Vaughan Woodard, of the Neosho Nurseries Co., Neosho, Mo., who conducts a mail-order business; John Pinney, of the Willis Nursery Co., Ottawa, Kan., a wholesale nursery, and Ellory Bennett, of



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A lively discussion followed on the testing and promoting of new plant material on a larger and more intensive scale by wholesale nurseries before releasing the material to retailers. The various advantages and disadvantages of patented plants and retail guarantees were also discussed. Suggestions were given and discussions held on the garden center type of operation. Various points of policy about remaining open on Sundays and holidays, and the relative merits of self-service versus salespeople were debated.

Sales projects, such as spring opening events and methods of display for eye-appeal received attention. It was also suggested that many nurserymen have never considered it important to be friendly and courteous to their customers. The ever-increasing tendency for nurseries to participate in some sort of Christmas business to add income over an offseason period was discussed as the final item on the agenda for the day.

A banquet was held Tuesday evening, with 167 nurserymen and their wives attending, in the Colonial room of the Hotel Muehlebach. After dinner, a program consisting of a floor show and dancing was presented

Landscape Trends

Wednesday morning the convention assembled to hear Robert Goetz, landscape architect of Webster Groves, Mo., speak on "Current Trends in Landscape Design." Mr. Goetz stressed the importance of the many landscape specialists who enter into the preparation of a house and vard for living. He emphasized the duty of the landscape architect to coordinate and cooperate with all these specialists in the interest of the client. He also emphasized the role of competent professional design service in organizing all outdoor ele-

In his presentation of colored slides, Mr. Goetz illustrated important factors in today's landscape design: The increased tendency toward outdoor living due to increased leisure time and greatly increased numbers of homeowners in suburban areas; the incorporation into landscape design of new construction methods and latest technological and scientific advances; lower maintenance requirements made necessary by the increased cost of competent maintenance help; the increased use of local materials, both building and



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Clyde Stocking, San Jose, Calif., president of the American Association of Nurserymen, outlined the advantages of membership in the A. A. N. and reported on the association's activities in recent developments concerning the fair trade act, the A. A. N. insurance plan, market development, industrial landscaping promotion and A. A. N. sales and planting aids. Vincent Bailey, of the J. V. Bailey Nurseries, St. Paul, Minn., A. A. N. region IV director, reported on various merchandising and sales bulletins offered by the association. Vernon Marshall, Marshall's Nurseries, Arlington, Neb., gave a summary prepared by the A. A. N. on the new interpretations of the 1954 income tax law as applied to the nursery industry.

During the business meeting that was held after Mr. Marshall's talk, 12 firms were accepted into membership of the Western Association of Nurserymen. The convention and hotel committee recommended that the 68th annual convention be held at the Hotel Muehlebach in Kansas City, Mo., January 6 to 8, 1958. This would be the first 3-day meeting in the history of the association. Newly elected president, C. C. Smith, announced that the present membership of the association stands at 187 members and that his chief aim during 1957 will be to increase membership.

MARYLAND MEETING

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for building. Even now, Mr. Kennedy said, builders and forward-looking speculators in the nation's capital are looking to the shores of Chesapeake bay and the slopes of the Blue Ridge mountains, thinking that these will, in the future, be the suburbs of Washington, D. C.

Capt. Robert J. Foley, of the United States Navy, a Maryland homeowner, characterized the average suburbanite as a somewhat variegated individual with respect to interests, hobbies and sports. All, however, have a common desire to make home improvements. While this often necessitates the calling in of a professional to correct mistakes or to handle work that is formidable, yet the owner undertakes much.

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Suburbanites could be coached into having good landscape work by being given a seal of approval for a good job by the Maryland Nurserymen's Association, concluded Captain Foley.

John P. Donofrio, John P. Donofrio, Inc., Westminster, speaking as a landscape designer and plantsman. listed some of the points a builder should consider from the landscaping standpoint. A larger budget should be allowed for planting work, he said. This gives the landscapeman an opportunity to do a better job and he will then take more pride in the work.

Nurserymen should be allowed more latitude and given the opportunity to exercise their best judgment as to what plants should be used, where they should be planted and what size of plant is involved. The lowed tion upon clima Wirealiz

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Builders, Mr. Donofrio said, should do a better job of grading and clearing away their debris. Often buried rolls of roofing paper, squares of shingles and other materials are found, which represent money that could have been added to the landscape budget.

Advertisements of houses for sale always specifically mention a powder room, one and a half baths, etc., but say nothing relating to landscaping. Why should not nurserymen, Mr. Donofrio asked, inform the public what constitutes good landscaping and good sodding? When these things turn out badly it is the landscape men whom the homeowners blame, not the builders, who are really at fault.

In his closing remarks, Mr. Dono-

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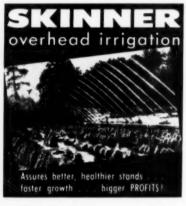
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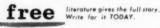
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frio warned that builders are not providing enough room for landscaping. They are trying to put too much on to little space. Nurserymen should take the initiative to see that sufficient land is available for the proper landscaping that makes for gracious and pleasant living.

Panel moderator, Edward L. Stock, Jr., ended the discussion by assuming the role of the banker. People, he said, buy what they wish to buy. People have been conditioned to installment credit. Ask them what their net worth is and they cannot tell you; ask them what their monthly installment payments are and they can name them immediately. Perhaps more use should be made of credit selling by those who are engaged in the landscape and nursery business.

MODERN NURSERY DESIGN

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CORRECTION

Case Hoogendoorn, Newport, R. I., calls attention to the fact that he was incorrectly quoted in a report of the annual plant propagators' meeting appearing in the January 1 issue of the American Nurseryman.

In the article Mr. Hoogendoorn was misquoted as advocating cutting-grown cotoneasters rather than seedlings because of better-developed root systems in the former. In actuality he has discontinued growing cotoneasters from cuttings because he has found that seedlings develop a better root system.

VIRUS-FREE STRAWBERRY

The supply of virus-free strawberry plants produced by seven Michigan nurseries under supervision of the state department of agriculture will be greater than was anticipated, according to Robert H. Fulton, Michigan State University, head of the virus-free strawberry program. Speaking at a recent convention of the Michigan State Horticultural Society, Mr. Fulton stated that the plants will be available for the spring season in three varieties, Robinson, Catskill and Marshall.

Growers cooperating in the program are Emlong Nursery, Stevensville; Robert Buskirk, Stevensville; Charles Zollar, Benton Harbor; Jack Willoughby, South Haven; Kellogg Nursery, Three Rivers; David Scott,

Northport, and Rodney Bull, Casnovia, all of Michigan.

In other sessions of the convention, Jerry Mandigo, Paw Paw, southwestern Michigan horticultural agent, stated that wind-making machines may be the coming thing in frost prevention for vineyard operators, and a panel of fruit growers recommended the expanded production of pears as a diversification in Michigan fruit crops.

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